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Arrelstine

1. Peter 1742-5.15.1826 = Christina Davy 1752-7.29.1805

? = Susannah Ball
1809

2 Isaac 1778:6.25.1860 = Mary B. 1786:4.17.1849
i.e. Mary Barbara Freckle

Isaac

Jacob
4.25.1805

Nicholas
8.6.1807

Katy
11.7.1809

Benjamin
3.23.1812

♂

♀

William C =
1821-1909

? = Mary Barbara
1830 Sicker

Whitney Oscar Wm Mrs. Weese Musclark Delia

3. Isaac = Hannah Davy

Jno. Davis
3.25.1802:

Isaac 1797 not family lds as u.s.

4 John 7.23.1188:6.30.1858 = Mary Amey 2.20.1812 :8.18.1848
(? Ut of Wm of 1812-15) (Deacon Emert luth. ch. 1830)

Margaret-
11.20.1812:40.17.1855

Sarah
6.27.1815:

5. Nicholas (Fredrick's; belongs to Isaac 2) = Mary B. -5.1783:9.3.1811. (Communicant 1816
Weniger ch)

6. George (bur. Bath) 3.20.1794:8.16.1861 = Catharine 9.12.1805:5.22.1844

7 George = Ruth B. 10.2.1836:3.2.1858 (bur. Bath).

Ruth B. 2.23.1858:8.17.1858

8. Peter 1809 = Barbara Carr

9 Peter, Sr. 1797 not for Isaac family lds.

10 Christian Arrelstine alias Davy 1797 lds as u.s. (i.e. Peter No. 1.)

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39. Janneetje, baptized 17 Apr. 1771

40. Isaac, baptized 18 July 1772. Sponsors. Abraham Esselstyne and wife Marie.

+ 33. Abraham Esselstyne and Anna Marie Simmons.
children:

41 Elizabeth, baptized 8 May 1775

42. Albertus " 12 June 1782

43. Susanna " 23 Sept. 1777

44. Janette " 9 Feb. 1784

45. Gertje " 8 Aug 1786

Churchtown, N.Y. Records
Columbia County

+ 29 Conrad Esselstyne + wife
children:

46 Isaac.

47 John.

48 Henry

49. Peter

50 Andrew

51 Jane

52 Lydia

Born chiefly in Vermont, U.S.A.
(Mrs. Inez Johnson's records).

+ 36. Andrew Esselstyne + Elizabeth Stalker, married April 1783, at
Cloverack, N.Y.

Children:

53. Anna, baptized 9 Jan. 1785

54. Martje " 11 Nov. 1787

55. Isaac " 13 Nov 1791

Baptisms in Hillsdale, N.Y.,
Dutch Reform Church.

28. Petrus Esselstyne, U.E.L., and Anna Head * He d 15 May 1826 at 84-61741-2)

56 Henrich, baptized 14 Sept. 1771 St Thomas Lutheran Ch., N.Y.

2nd wife Christina Davy, (d. 29 July 1805; aged 37yrs 8 days - b 21 Jul 1768)

+ 57 Isaac.

58 Elizabeth

+ 59 Peter^{59a} John.

60 George

61 Catherine

+ 62 Michael.

* Dutch Reform Church, Kinderhook, N.Y.

Marriage 2 April 1771, Petrus Esselstyne
of Manor Livingston and Anna Head
born in Dover.



31. Johannes Asselstine, U.S.L., and wife Catherine

Children

+ 63. Isaac, baptized ^{1 April} ~~13 July~~, 1777. (Hillsdale N.Y. Dutch Reformed Church).

+ 64. Abraham, baptized 13 July 1771.

ditto

65. Jacob? no other record.

(Surrette)

Marie Langlois, second wife.

Children:

+ 66. Peter.

67. Elizabeth.

68. Andrew.

69. Jane.

70. Christina.

71. Marsh.

Susannah, third wife, believed to be widow of Amos Martin.

57 Isaac Asselstine & Hannah (Dovey) His land petition dated

Children

17 July, 1789, indicated

that he was 21 years or over.

72. William.

73. Henry.

74. Jane.

75. John Davis.

76. Lewis.

54. Peter Asselstine & wife Susannah Ball, married 1 Jan 1801 (sic)

Children

77. Abraham

78. Nicholas.

79. Peter.

80. Justice.

81. Jane

54a John Asselstine & wife Mary Amey

Children

82. Margaret.

83. Sarah.

84. Levi. died young.

86. Elizabeth. "

87. Nicholas. "

88. Emily.



89. Billings. (Miss Laura Asselstine of Los Angeles, Calif., is a descendant)
90. Jane.

62. Michael Asselstine and wife Nancy Fraser.
Children:

- 91. Nancy, born 1820.
- 92. Isaac.
- 93. Sarah, born 1824.

73. Henry Asselstine & Sarah Schmidt.
Children:

- 94. William Lewis, born 15 May, 1824
- + 95. Benjamin.
- 96. Rachel
- 97. Isaac.
- 98. Richard, born 7 Aug. 1833.
- 99. Mary Jane.
- 100. Henry.
- 101. Leonard.
- 102. Peter 100 + 1842.
- 103. John 1844
- 104. Simon 18 March 1846.

75. John Davis Asselstine, 1st wife Martha Chatterson
Children:

- 105. Electra Jane.
- 106. Agnes.
- 107. Hannah.
- 108. Mary.
- 109. Catharine.
- 110. John Wesley.
- 111. Martha.
- 112. Almeda.

Married second Esther Foster.

Children:

- 113. James D.
- 114. Jessie
- 115. Francis.
- 116. Florence.



- 117. Herbert,
- 118. Nancy,
- 119. Isaac Newton,
- 120. George W.

77. Abraham Asselstine + Lucinda Walker

Children:

- 121. Kilbourne,
- 122. Gillison
- 123. Guy,
- 124. May.

92. Isaac Asselstine + Minerva Parratt

Children:

- 125. Michael (developed the Asselstine Wooden Mill, Odesa, Ont.)
- 126. Henry,
- 127. Jonathan
- 128. Eleanor.

88. Nicholas Asselstine + Immanuel Ann Hunter

Children:

- 129. Damen.
- 130. Justice.
- 131. Alfred.
- 132. Rylmanson.
- 133. John
- 134. Hannah
- 135. Emma.
- 136. Cassie.
- 137. Ida.
- 138. Henrietta.

95 Benjamin married 1st. — Hannah Elizabeth Aylsworth, 2nd — Mary Gemima Aylsworth.

Children: 4 by 1st wife

- 139. David, b. 31 Dec., 1853; died 7 June, 1857. (David Aylsworth)
- 140. Henry, (b. 31 Dec., 1853; graduated at Queen's University Henry ^{Army})
- 141. Nancy (Emma Victoria b. Nov., 1855)
- 142. Hannah (Elizabeth, b. May 1858; d. 25 Nov., 1858)
- 143. Margaret. (Eleanor b. 23 May, 1860,
- 144. Georgianna (b. 4 Dec., 1861)
- 145. Frances. (Adelaide b. 23 Sep., 1865; marr. Albert Graham)



146. David Perry (b. 31 Mar. 1865)

147. Marica (Edith, b. 13 May 1866; d. 5 Feb. 1868)

148. Hannah (Elizabeth, b. 17 April 1868)

149. Robert (Whiting, b. 24 Dec. 1869)

150. Mary (Edith Mabel, b. 9 Apr 1875)

151. Helen (Cayleworth, b. 3 March 1878; marr. ~~Wm. P. D. Smith~~ 17 Sep. 1899)

66. Peter Jr. Asselstine (son of John Senior) + Barbara Carr, 27 August, 1809 (bapt 18 Jan 1789)

Children:

152 Peter,

153. William

154. John

155. Daniel (a descendant is John Asselstine of London, Ont)

156 daughter

157 "

158 "

159 "

64. Abraham married but family unknown.

63. Isaac Asselstine, married Mary Barbara Fraley.

+ 160. Jacob, baptized 21 Apr. 1805, married Hannah Benn.

161. Katy " 7 Nov. 1809 " Florenz Benn.

+ 162. Nicholas " 6 Aug. 1807 " Twice.

+ 163. Benjamin " 23 Mar. 1812 " Charlotte Huffman,

+ 164. Cyril " " Alice Clarke

165. Anne " (b Jan 1813) " John Anderson.

+ 166. William C. born 8 Jan. 1820 " Catharine Moore.

167. Elizabeth died 26 Nov. 1830 at age of 7 years.

160. Jacob Asselstine and Hannah Benn. (He born 25 Apr. 1805; she born 30 May, 1806)

Children:

168. Ira (Nelson, born 14 June, 1844)

169. George (Nicholas born 8 Apr. 1835) (176a. Silvester Henry born 23 July, 1833)

170. John (Ezra, born 25 Nov 1838) 176b. Cyril James born 9 Sep. 1840

171. Isaac (Benjamin born 10 Sep. 1842, died 7 Feb 1916)

172. Melissa (Catharine Melissa born 20 May, 1846)

173. Hilda (b. 30 Apr. 1830)

174. Margaret (Jane, born 17 Feb 1837)



A Pioneer Family, 1649-1949

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175. Elizabeth (Ann born 15 Nov. 1831)

176. Mary (Barbara, born 26 Nov 1828) (Garrison died 2 Sept 1921)

162 Nicholas Asselstine, married 1st Barbara Sicker. (she d. 4 Feb., 1837, aged 26 yrs. 9 months)

children:

+ 177. Jacob.

married 2nd Margaret Emery.

Children:

178. Samuel.

179. John.

180. Sarah.

181. Elizabeth

182. Emma

178. Samuel Asselstine married Almira Huffman.

Children:

183. Gillison.

184. Isaac.

163. Benjamin Asselstine married Charlotte Huffman.

Children:

185. Cyrus

186. Coleman.

187. Wesley.

188. Nicholas.

189. Agnes, married Ephraim Sweet

190. Olivia, married George Sampkin. Children 190a Roy. 190b. Ruth

191. Charlotte.

192. Effie, married Everett Van Loven. Child 192a Harry.

164. Cyril Asselstine married 1st Alice Clark, married 2nd ———.

Children, by first wife.

193. Matthew.

194 Nicholas

Children

194a Claude. High School Teacher.

194b. Oliver. ditto.

194c. Blake. ditto.

194d. Bert, M.D. in Vancouver, B.C.

194e Robert

Cyril taught school in Ernesttown for 40 years. (See Loyalist Clarke) by Estelle Watson.

165 Anna Asselstine married John Anderson

Children:

(over)



195. Luman Anderson

Children:

195a. John graduate of Queen's University

195b. Frank " " " in Medicine, and
living in Ottawa, Ont.

195c. Annie.

195d. Ida.

195e Charles.

195f Elsie.

166. William C. Asselstine married Catharine Moore, 4 June 1845.

Children: He died 10 Mar., 1909. She died 4 Dec 1876

+196. Oscar, born 10 Dec. 1846, married Marian Lockhead.

197. Adeline, married Cyrus Asselstine.

+198. Whitney, born 3 Aug., 1852, married Matilda Martin.

199. Ephie, married, 1st, John Clark, 2nd Richard Hilbert.

200. Ardacia married James Weese.

+201. William H., born Dec. 1860, married Amelia Dennison.

202. Mary Barbara died 26 Jan., 1860 aged 10 years, 5 months.

148. Whitney Asselstine married Matilda Martin.

Children:

203. Eliza

204. Kate

205. May

206. Luella

207. Marguerite.

208. Ephie,

209. Adah,

210 William (deceased).

211. Anita.

201. William H. Asselstine married Amelia Dennison.

Children-

212. Harold.

213. Wilbert.

214. Ross.

215. Orris.

216. Ivan.

217. Alena.

218 Laura



196. Oscar Asselstine married 24 March, 1870, Marion Lockheed.

Children: He died 10 Apr., 1942. She born 7 Aug., 1846; died 6 Feb., 1923.

+ 219. Idalette, married Wesley McLaughlin (deceased).

+ 220. Janette (Janet), married Edward Nugent.

221. Kathryn (unmarried),

+ 222. Herbert (deceased) married M. Wilkes.

+ 223. William Oscar, married Rosmond Wartman.

+ 224. Robert Whitney, married Cora Reid.

+ 225. Stanley M., married Ilda Smallbridge.

222. Herbert Asselstine, married M. Wilkes.

Children:

226 son.

227. son.

228. daughter.

229. daughter.

230. daughter.

231. daughter.

223 William O. Asselstine, married Rosmond Wartman.

Children:

232. Bertram. Has 4 sons & 2 daughters.

233. daughter.

234. daughter.

224. Robert Asselstine, married Cora Reid.

Children:

+ 235. Aubrey.

+ 236. John. Automotive Engineer with Ford Motor Laboratories,
Dearborn, Mich.

237. daughter.

238. daughter.

219. Idalette, married Wesley McLaughlin (deceased).

Children:

239. Franklin McLaughlin.

240. Marion McLaughlin.

220. Janette, married Edward Nugent.

Children:

241. Bernice Nugent, Teacher at Stanford Collegiate, Niagara
Falls, Ontario

225. Stanley Asselstine, M.D., married Ilda Smallbridge.

Children:

+ 242. William Harold Stanley, born 31 March, 1920.



235. Aubrey Asselstine married Eva McGregor.

Children:

243 Joan.

244. Judith.

245. Jane.

? 236. John (William) Asselstine married Mary O'Neil.

Children:

246. Robert John, born 2 Nov., 1949.

? 242. William Harold Asselstine, M.D., married Dixie Jean Andrews.

Children:

247. William Harold Stanley, born 12 July, 1945.

248. Robert Warren, born 12 May, 1947.

249. John Peter, born 31 July, 1948.

250. Elizabeth Andrews.

251. Susan Barbara.

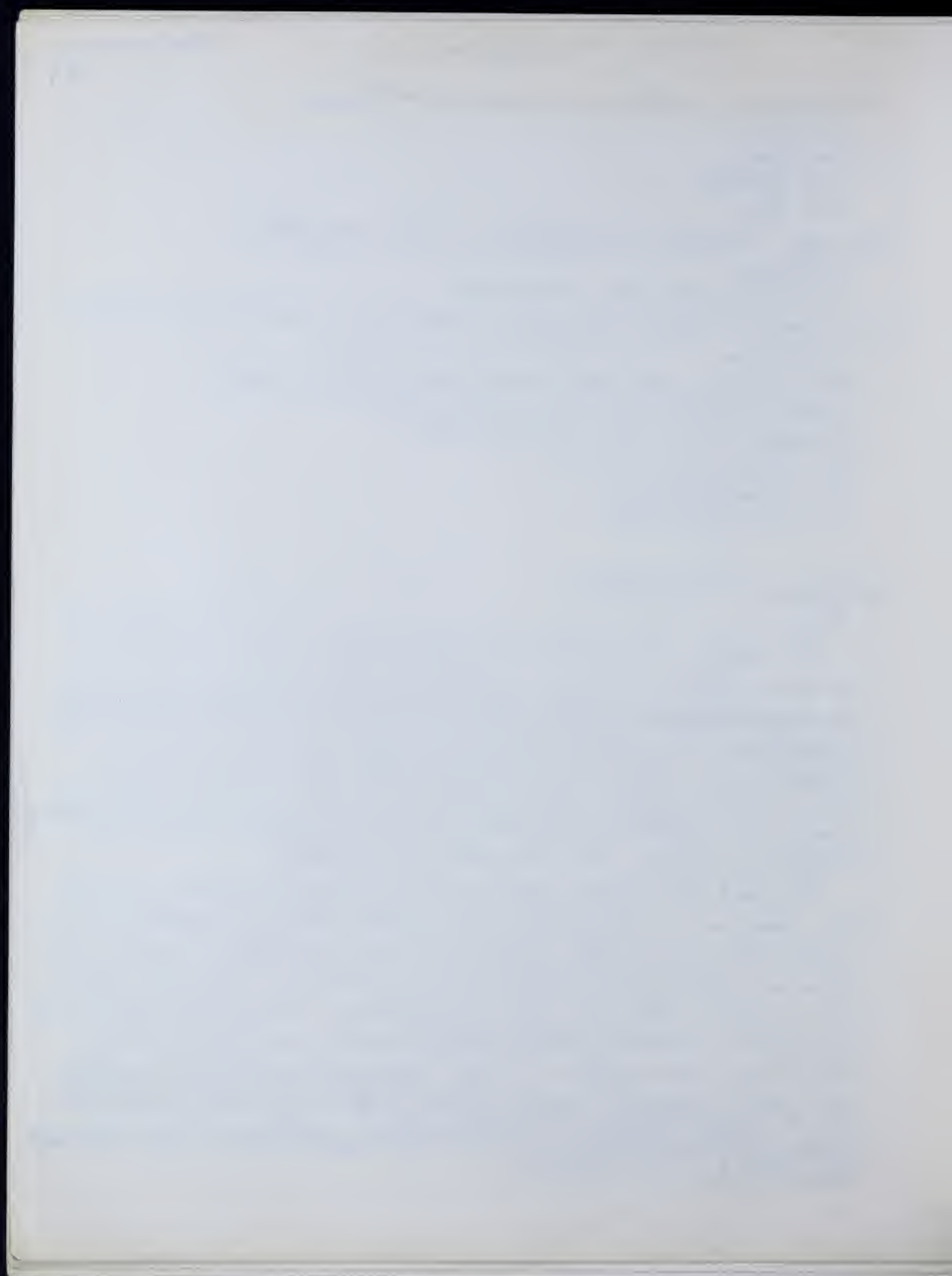
252. Mary Frances.

31 Johannes Asselstine

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The statement of John, Sr., appearing on the certificate at the time of his marriage in Quebec, 1784, would appear to be an error, created by war time and primitive means of communication. He must have heard in some manner that his wife Catharina was dead, or due to local skirmish in and about Cleverack, N.Y., then "A Tory hot bed," she may have been injured, and reported dying. The wives and children of both factions suffered as homes were burned and raided.

The fact that John said he was a widower, when he could have passed as a bachelor, if he chose, makes it appear that he innocently remarried. Isaac, his son and Catharina, his first wife came to Canada expecting to locate him, but when they did, he had a wife and young children; what legal adjustment was made, we do not know, but the story related to us by Isaac's granddaughter is that "they found he had a wife and young children, so his first wife was resigned to his responsibility to take care of the young children, and continued life with her son Isaac".



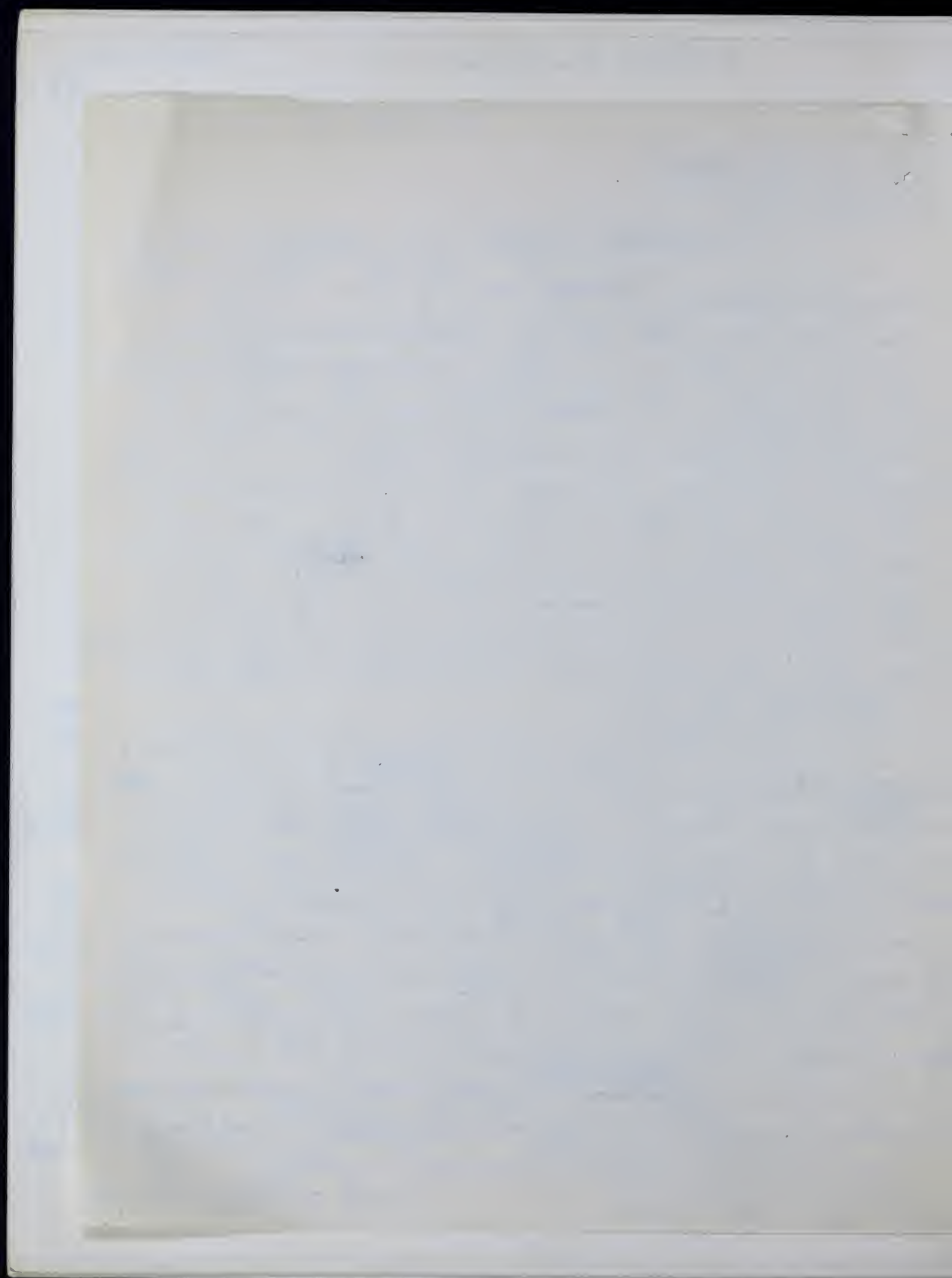
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D. S. A. C. Burleigh
Bath; Ont.

Dear Doctor Burleigh: - Your letter of inquiry
seemed in response to telegraph as I'd been thinking about
your promise of this Spring. What I want to know
very much is the name of Regiment or Corp that great great
grandpa John & his brother Peter served in prior to
Jessup's Corp. from which they demobilized in 1783. I've
thought it might be "The Kings Loyal Americans" at least ^{it was} one
organized in the (then) Albany County N.Y. (Peter we know
was at Saratoga when Gen. Burgoyne ~~led~~ the troops there)
(old Albany Co. included ~~included~~ what is now Columbia Co. &
present Albany Co. & 10 or two more present Counties of New York state)
These soldiers John & Peter came from area now known as Columbia Co.
N.Y. (then ^{all} called Albany Co.)

I've been unable to locate grave of John Senior (Loyalist) but since
Land grants indicate he had land near Peter ^{his brother} & Isaac son of Peter Sr. ~~also~~
his ^(John's) Will made in Ernestown in 1817 & ^{all} Executors ^{to have been} Ernestown people, I
conclude he is reasonable sure placed in ^{Lutheran} same Cemetery as Peter Sr. &
Peter's wife Christine (Peter Jr. son of John Senior resided on old home
& when this ^{Dr.} Peter made his Will, he mentions Lot 17-4th Concession
Ernestown ^{at death} as passing to his sons William & Daniel. ^{at his death} so
I think John Sr. always resided in Ernestown but bought ^{also} much land
in Ernestown & Sidney Township, Hastings Co. his Will registered in
two Counties; his ^{Witneses} ~~Executors~~ ^{William} James Hogle, Sebastian Hogle & Nathan Fellows.
Executors: James Lake, James Hogle & son Peter Aselstine. John died 1822.

John's 1st wife Katherine he married in N.Y. state. (16)
2nd wife Mary Langlois " " in Quebec & 3rd Susannah ^{last} ^{name} ³



II
Loyalist John: - baptised in Germantown; Reform Church
Columbia County N.Y. Jan 31 1748
Children of John & Katherine (1st wife) are: -

Isaac baptised in Claverack Dutch Reform Church
Claverack; Columbia Co. April 1st 1777
Abraham: baptised 7-13-1771. These two sons
rec'd land grants as son of Loyalist John viz: Lots
3 & 4 - 9th concession King Township, York Co. Isaac
later bought his brother Abraham's lot & held these lots until
1870. ^{sold to Geo. Hambley.} Isaac never resided on these lots, but bought land on
Hay Bay Fredricksburg. Family tale is "he thought King
Township in York County too far inland to live, & chose
to live among the Dutch settlers of Ernestown, Fredricksburg"
(both Isaac & wife spoke only Dutch until coming into Canada; they
employed an English speaking girl to teach them English.)

Isaac (son of John) married Mary Barbara Fraley or
Fraleigh; daughter of Jacob & Anna Fraley
(later written as if Irish viz: Fraleigh ^{which is not correct for German}
family name.)

Their Children: Jacob - married Hannah Benn
Nicholas - .. 1st Barbara Sieker 2nd Margaret ^{Emory}
Cybil - .. Alice Clark (buried at Violet)
Benjamin - .. Charlotte Huffman
William (my grandpa) married Katherine Moore
Katie married Forenz Benn
Elizabeth died age 7 yrs
Anna married John Anderson ^{she} (died young) son

Luman Anderson of Knapau
married

1:5 The Fraleys lived near Hudson City N.Y. in
Dutch area & so acquired the Dutch
Language. They came from Hamburg
Germany to New York Dutch Colony
about end of 1600 or 1st of 1700.



A. braham (son of John & Katherine) married; but wife's name unknown & his descendants unknown. (His father bought land ^{for him} in Markham, York County but deed search gives no further trace of him.)

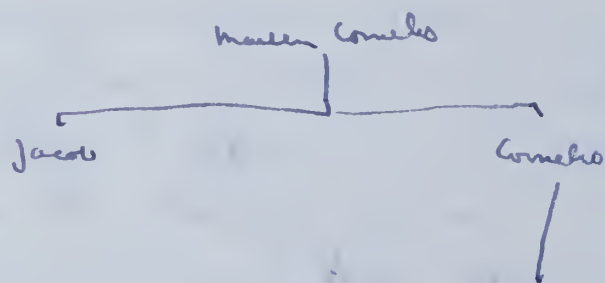
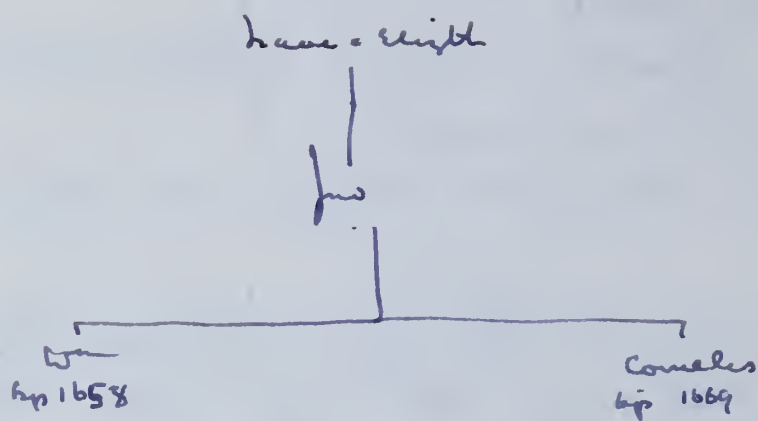
Peter Jr. (son of John & Mary Langlois ^{John's 2nd wife} ~~from John~~ married in Quebec prior to 1784.)
 married Barbara Carr (dau. of Daniel Carr)
 Aug. 27-1809 in Ernestown.
 Sons ^{are} John, Daniel & William & 4 daughters

Andrew (son of Loyalist John ^{if mother is} Mary or 3rd wife Susannah) no record found of him marrying or heirs.
 (John Sr. killed him land in Sidnap township Hastings Co. in 1817.)

John Senior, in his will, names ^{or mentions} all his children except Abraham and concludes John had helped him in buying Markham land daughters named ^{are} Elizabeth, Jenny ~~Ward~~, Christine. I've found records of some of marriages of these daughters.

Johannes (John) bapt^{ized} 1748 Jan 31st parents Isaac & Elizabeth (Kelder) Esselsteyn. The "E" spelling is used in John's discharge papers of 1783 also used frequently in ^{Canadian} Archivist's Reports, re his brother Peter. ^{great} ^{Isaac's} grandpa's children baptism records (in Church records) ^{some} appear with Isselstein spelling. The Isselsteyn is correct modern Dutch & ~~is~~ used much in U.S.A. in 1700 period records. Canadian records are ~~not~~ to use "A" spelling of name.

The Esselsteyn (Dutch Armorial design of ^{about} 1400 yrs ^{periods}) is very lovely in design & color; (Lovely coat of arms)



IV

The Armorial design for family is issued under old Dutch use of letter "V" and now supplanted by letter "J". The general use of name in Holland is "J". The Armorial label is "Van Vsselsteijn" (Contofarms)

Thus far I've recorded Loyalist John's family to 3rd generation. We know we descend from Isaac & Elizabeth parents of John and either from the Early Dutch West India Co. Settlers in Amer. viz: Jan Willens Van Vsselsteijn who came to Amer. about 1649 in the employ of Dutch West India Co. His sons were William bapt in N.Y. 1658 | Dutch Reform Church baptisms Cornelius " " " 1669 | (he may have had more sons)

A later ^{widow} Martense Cornelius Van Vsselsteijn appeared in American N.Y. records ^{about 1659} as one of founders of Schenectady N.Y. (early Dutch Settlement of that area). About 1669 he ^(Martense) sold his land there & moved to Claverack N.Y. Columbia Co. (Columbia County was originally part of vast area called Albany County, and that area now covers several Counties including present Albany Co & Columbia Co.)

Martense Cornelius sons were Jacob - married Rachel Vanderboegert " " son Cornelius Martense " Cornelia Van Vandenburgh Jacob had several son; He moved to Penth Amboy N.J. Cornelius " 6 sons, & resided at Claverack. N.Y. ^{his} father's original purchase, & it's always remained in the Vsselsteijn name at Claverack. (Claverack ^{Dutch} means Clover field ^{in English})

Records indicate that Jan Willens & family left N.Y. City & came to Claverack area too. (13)

Thus to date we can't unscramble these "originals" & their descendants to determine Isaac's (father of John) parents. ^{see back of book}

Brothers of Peter & John, about 1758 came to
Lower Canada but later the boundary line
between Quebec & Vermont was changed &
these brothers are now classed as "early
Vermont settlers"

Bros. ^{Bapt 1743} Conrad, ^{Bapt 1752} Abraham, Andrew? date -
We know Isaac son of Conrad lived for
a time near Montreal & it's thought some
of the Isaac's descendants may be in Canada and we
do know the Michigan branch are from two
sons of Isaac (son of Conrad) who traveled to Michigan.
Please send any data or material & I'll be happy
Sincerely, Kathy Aselstein

P.S. Laurie Aselstein & myself have done a "heap" of
research on our line, & still working. I saw her in
Calif. this summer for a few hours. We correspond,
and hope to complete the line of Genealogy.
It's an expensive "pastime".

P.S. ^{or Cornelius} Marten Cornelissen Van Aselstein in ^{new York} his Will stated he
came from "City of Ysselstein, Utrecht Province, Holland."
(Today's ^{its} small city in Holland but a historical city, and an
old Aselstein Castle stood there, now demolished.)
Picture & floor plan of ^{this} old Ysselstein Castle exist.

I am anxious to get this point re: Susannah
 straight for our own records, & for my Cousin
 Harold Martin a descendant of Amos Martin ^{Amos} who
 settled 1st in Ernestown approx: 1784 & ^{only later} his land petition
 is dated 1797 for his son Amos Jr. who settled near Selby
 Richmond Township (lot 25. in 5th concession of Richmond)
 Amos Sr. left Ernestown briefly 1807 & returned later, at least
 by 1818. He originally came from Rhode Island to Vermont & then
 Upper Canada. We were always told the Martins of our line
 were also of Dutch origin altho I've not had time to check
 early Dutch Settlers in Rhode Island, who must have
 migrated there from New York areas (if they are "Dutch" origin)
 My ~~great~~ grandma was Rachel Martin dau. of Elias Martin
 I believe. Mother often spoke of "Uncle William" & "Uncle Amos" Martin
 that would be Amos Jr. I believe (Amos Jr. born about 1782
 & believe) An Elder brother of Amos Martin Sr. viz: John
 Martin petitioned the Can. Government for land &
 asked for 600 acres as he was a Captain of the Militia,
 gave "13 Lenheim" as Address? if ^{then} in Vermont or Lower Canada
 Regarding Peter Asselstine Senior & wife Christina Davy we have
 reason to believe Peter's 1st wife was Anna Head & that she
 was mother of Peter Senior's son Isaac (& perhaps more of his
 children) but Christine was his wife when he entered Canada



The book is bound in simulated leather, hand cover, in blue, with a gold lettering.

545 Elm. Ave. West.
Minneapolis, Minn. June 6th 57

Wm. H. C. Burleigh
Bath, Ont.

Dear Mr. Burleigh:- It is a long time
as I met you thru Mrs. Bernice Maguire
and recall that you ^{are} much interested in antiquities
and historical material.

A few weeks ago I had a letter from Mrs. Bernice
Vimmett, who is also my niece, saying you had
inquired about the book "A Pioneer Family" relative
to source of supply; she stated she had reported that
none were available (Correctly she thought) but it
so happens and order for seven was reduced to five and
I do have two, for which I do have orders, but am trying
to place them in places where they may be of most
(service). Value ^{you} I understand, serve as genealogist for the
Bay of Quinte Branch of The United Empire Loyalist Assoc-
iation, thus it may be of use, and other families are mention-
ed as well as ours in the book.

It's a simple family history in my own words, & collected material
(never edited, and privately printed) some errors & omissions
of my own & the printer. The National Library at Ottawa
wrote a brief sketch in ^{Number 47} March 1955 Canadiana page 183 and
that is all the publicity it had.

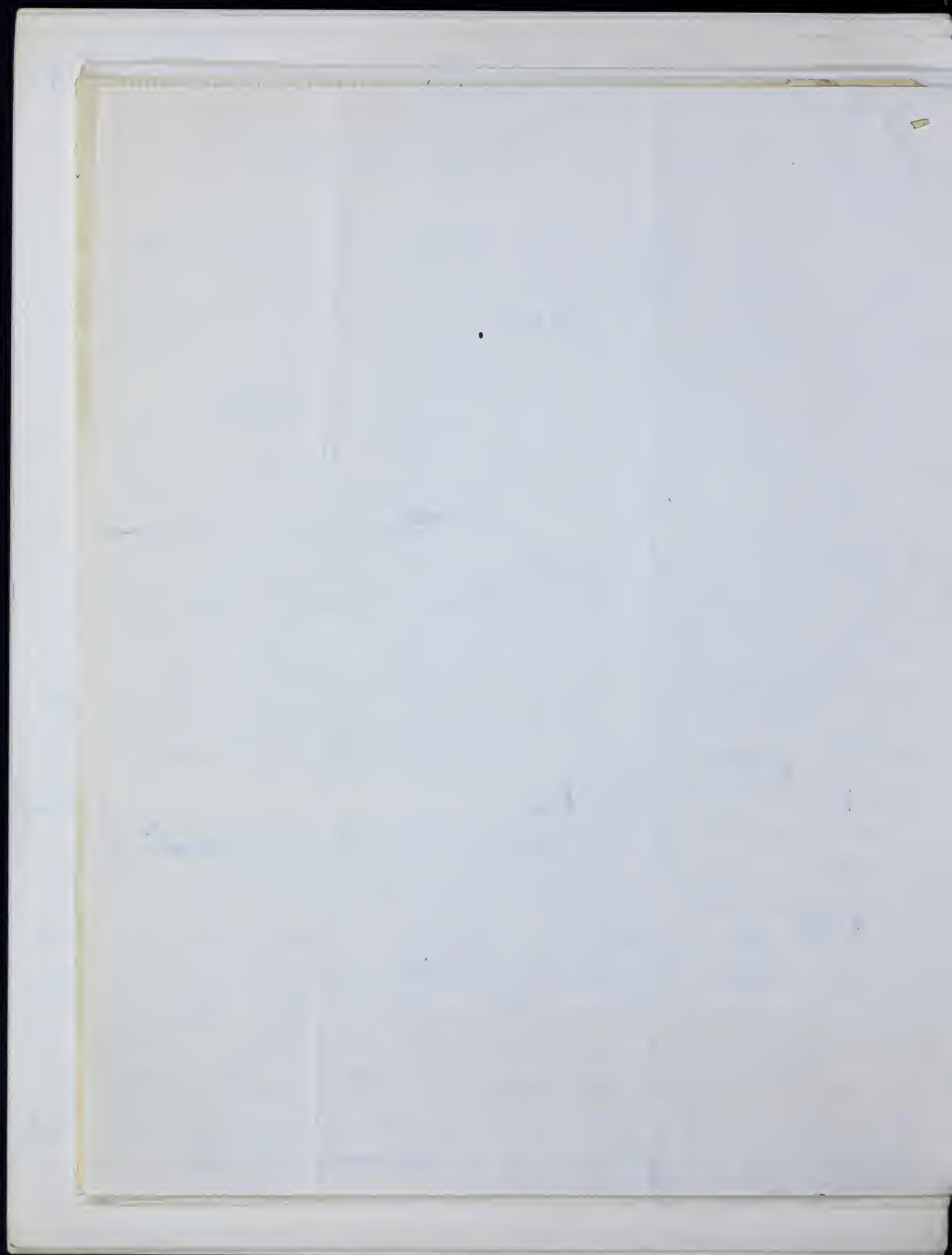
Should you wish a copy the price is \$3.25 post paid. A
post office ^{money} order seems about the best transfer of funds.

I am sincerely yours

Kathryn A. Schistone

P.S. N.Y. State, ^{Albany} & City ^{each} Library, ordered the book. K.A.





I believe her explanation re: her mother writing down the family genealogy ^{for her} as it was motivated by lack of ^{ancestral} information re: family ^{origins} in U.S.A. when a legal representative came to Canada in search of Asselstine heirs to an estate in U.S.A. I heard my grandpa tell the same ^{story} about a man searching for heirs, and the grandpa could not give information beyond his father & grand father John. I guess ^{he knew} even ^{name of John} before. So hearing her whom I'd never met repeat the same story regarding "a search for ^{Asselstine} heirs" made me believe her story regarding her mother writing down all she knew, so that her descendants ^{in future} would not be in such a plight as they were when sought as heirs. That ^{is why} I thought Peter son of Peter Sr. married Susannah Ball also Miss Asselstine dau. of Michael of Odessa Woolen Mills told me she never heard of Peter Sr. marrying again after Christine's death, but it could be. If Susannah Ball was not wife of Peter son of Peter Senior, we have never found a record of his wife but have his sons. Any how John Asselstine Senior's 3rd wife was a Susannah. I found it too expensive to publish a book and only put the "history" of family in manuscript form. I only had 6 copies and that cost \$13.00 to type & ~~plus~~ cost over a period of years in photostats etc & correspondence & nothing for time, searching ^{History} books in various libraries, so I just felt I had gambled enough. If I did get requests for 6 or 8 copies I would get more done @ \$2.25 per copy (no profit then, as it cost \$13.00) but I am glad I did it as it's an interesting record from 1677 to the present.

PS

I found a record in N.Y. Church of Christ's
Society 178 who entered a baptism. But in
record of this baptism the name of the person
is not given. (found in same church 178 record of
the following names)

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P.S.

I spent much time distinguishing "Land
petitions for Isaac ^{Asseline}" and found Land
Record of Gov. to Isaac ^{Asseline} was in ^{York} Co.
King Township, & sale record had Isaac & Mary
Barbara's signature, so I knew positively
which was ^{our} Isaac's Land grant. Peter's son
Isaac married ^{Hannah} Davy and their son Henry
& wife (Sarah Schmidt) built ^{about} 1840 many
of early houses of Kingston Ont. I have not
found any records of Peter Senior's son Henry
coming to Canada altho I found a baptism ^{record} there
of a son ^{Capit}, as son of Peter ^{Asseline} & ^{Hannah} Head.
I believe Henry & son Isaac were sons of ^{Hannah} Head.
& Peter's son Isaac married sister of Christine (Davy)
Asseline ^{their} Land petitions show one as wife of Isaac
& other wife of Peter Asseline. I have baptism ^{records} of John &
Peter & their brothers & sisters. The brothers Andrew
Abraham, Conrad, migrate to Lower Canada at
close of war & when boundary line was changed they
found themselves residents of Vermont U.S.A. We
lost all ^{trace} of family of Abraham Sr. & Andrew
but each had a son Isaac too & a dau Elizabeth;
their parents names carried on.

K. A.

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Asselstine

1838

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Oct. 4 Mr. Cyril Asselstine = Miss Alice Eliza Clark (Camden)

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1849

Jan 8 John Asselstine elected in the Municipal Elections at Mill Creek
Michael Asselstine defeated " " " " " " " " " " " "

1850

Mar 11 I went to M. Asselstine, Esq. — to be sworn in as Fence Viewer.

1852

Mar. 19 Mrs. Daniel Asselstine, of Kingston, died

" 13 John Asselstine, Esq., who is assessing, came here at evening,
and will stay till Monday.

July 16 Took 3½ lbs wool to Mr. Asselstine's factory: got 5 yards Salinet.

Sep. 3 Mr. Benjamin Asselstine of the City of Kingston = Miss Hannah E.
Aylsworth, dau. of Mr. David Aylsworth of Ernest Town.

1853

Feb 16 I went to Mr Purdy's School house as a witness in a case of
Mr. Garbutt vs Mr. S. D. Purdy, a society case; the Comm-
ittee are Mr. Asselstine, Jacob Scoulen & Eliza Savuten, Esqs.
The latter two did not come, & there was no business done.

1854

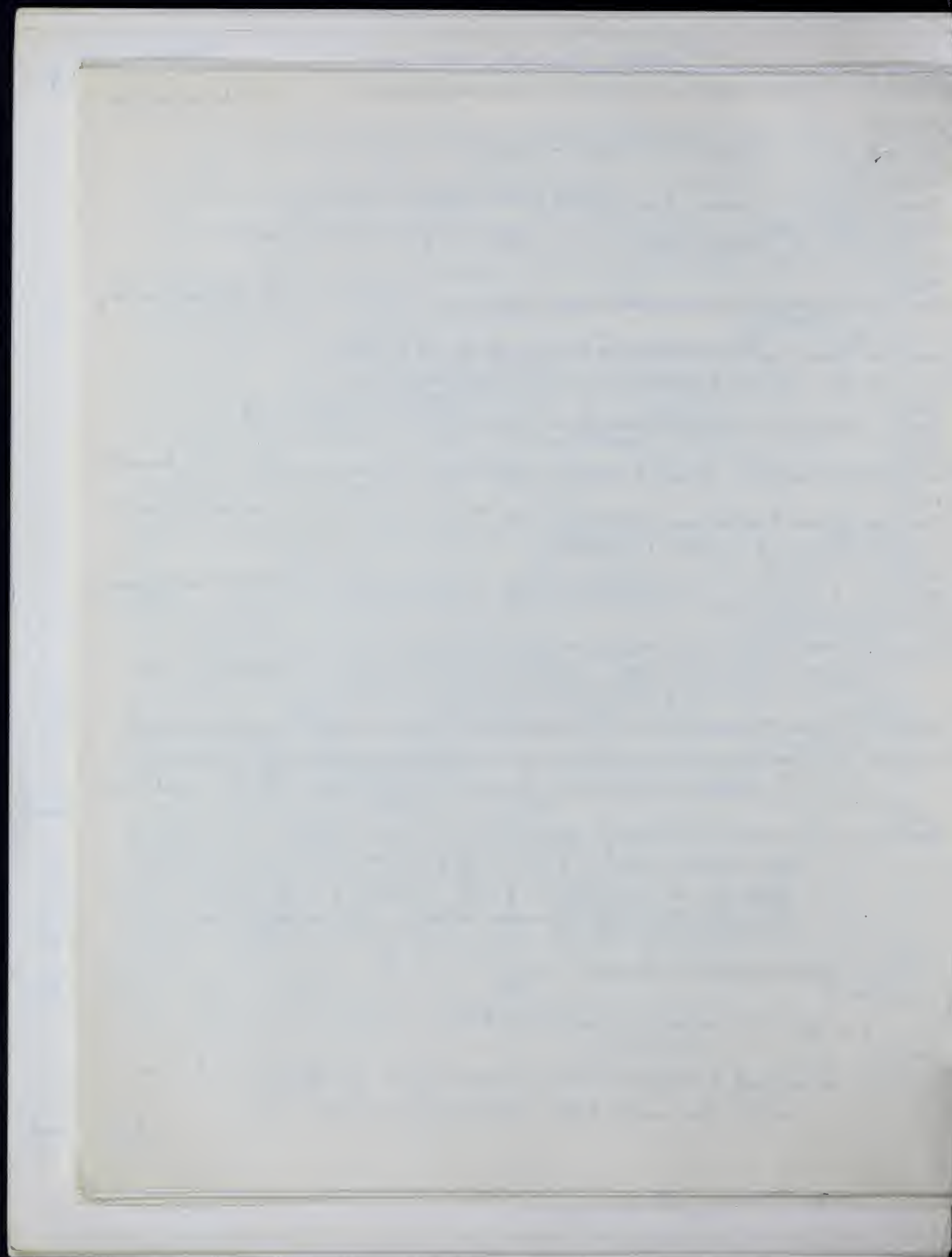
Oct 11 Mr. Asselstine here.

1855

June 30 John Asselstine Esq here P.M.

1856

Jan 29 Mrs. Cyril Asselstine (Alice Clark) from Sheffield and her
sister Lucinda from Camden came here P.M.



Roblin, Ont.,
Dec. 11/56

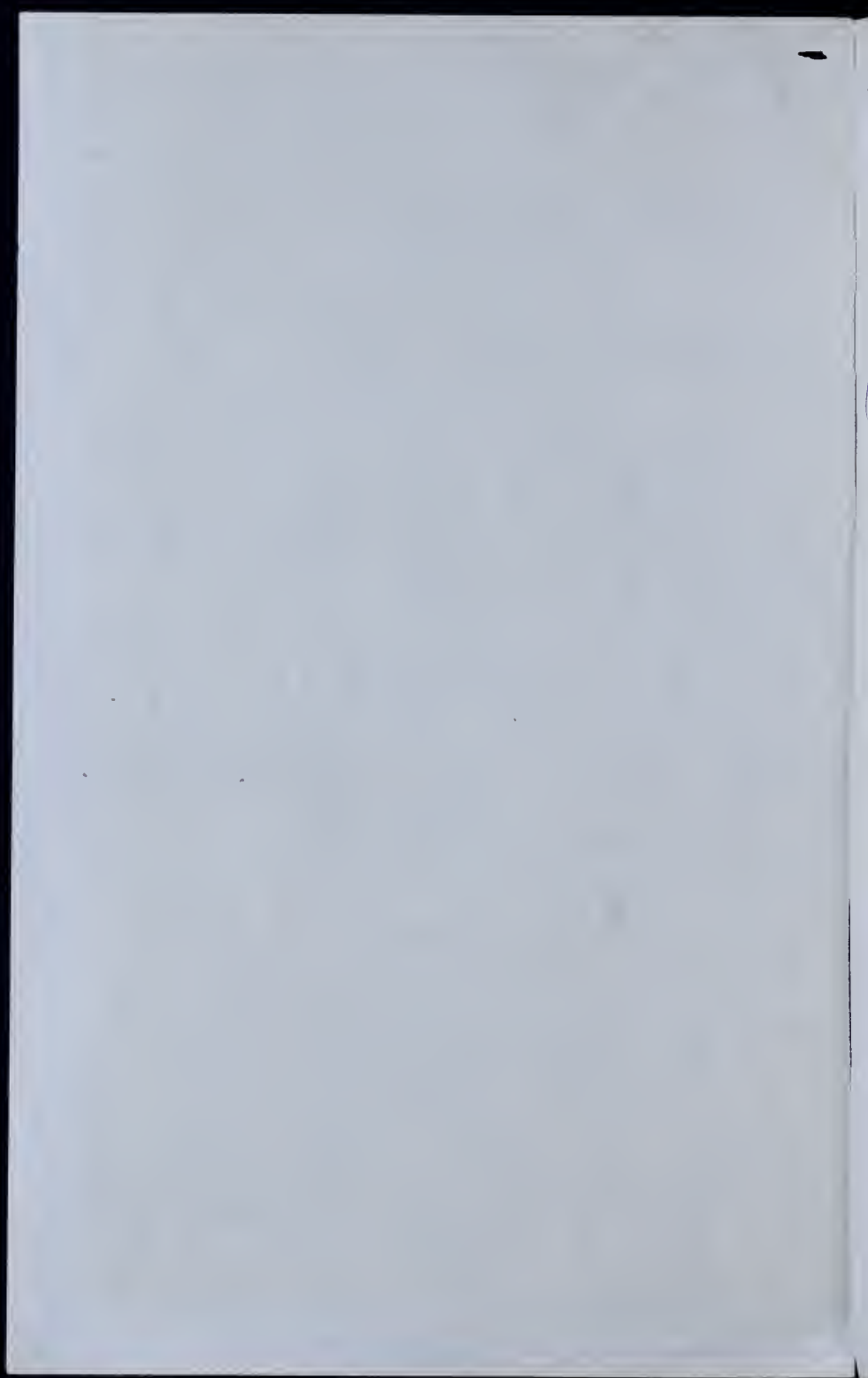
Dr. H.C. Burleigh
Bath, Ont.

Dear Dr. Burleigh

Regarding your letter re the Asselstine genealogy, I approached my aunt, Miss Asselstine, last summer about donating one of the books to the County Museum. She thought that as many relatives in the County have copies of it that it was not necessary to put one in the museum.

If you would like a copy for yourself, I will be writing her soon and will ask if she still has any copies.

I will give you her address



so you may contact her
yourself if you wish.

Yours sincerely

Marion Timmott

(Mrs J. H.)

Miss Kathryn R. Assektine
74 Ellis Ave. W. Apt. 4
Windsor, Ont.

Bowen 1.2
Boice 2.6
Brass 2.3
Brown 4.7
Burling 5

DeLamater 1.2.2.2
Hare 1
Harris 1.4
Hoyer 2.2.3.3.4
Harris 5

Johnston 1.2.6
Johnson 1.2.5.6.7
Richard 1.2.5
Rice 2

~~Carr 4~~
~~Crider 3.3~~
~~Caldwell 3~~
~~Cole 5~~
~~Collins 5~~
~~Cooking 5~~

McGinnis 1
McGinnis 2.3

Seager 3.4
Sells 1
Sallisberry 2.3
Snyder 2.4.5

mint 7

Thompson 2

Ferrington 3
Frey 3

Vandenberg 2
Van Vollenburg 2

Park 6
Post 2.4
Powell 1.6
Pencil 2.6
Phillips 7

Wadman 1
Wintermute 4.4.4
Woodside 5

Yarns 1.4

Moscow Cem.

7.16.17.18.19

Geo. Garrison Nov 19. 1822 - Nov. 5. 1909

Mary B. Asselstine hus, 1829-1921

Sylvester H. Asselstine d. 19.11.1899 ^{as} 66

Martha Dameron, h.w. 20.7.1915 ^{as} 78

April J. son of Jacob & Hannah Asselstine d 3.6.1860 ^{as} 19.8.27

Josette Lott wife W. W. Asselstine 1837-1895

Wm W. A. 1843-1928

Elbert J. A. 1874-1924

Archie A. A. 1879-1940

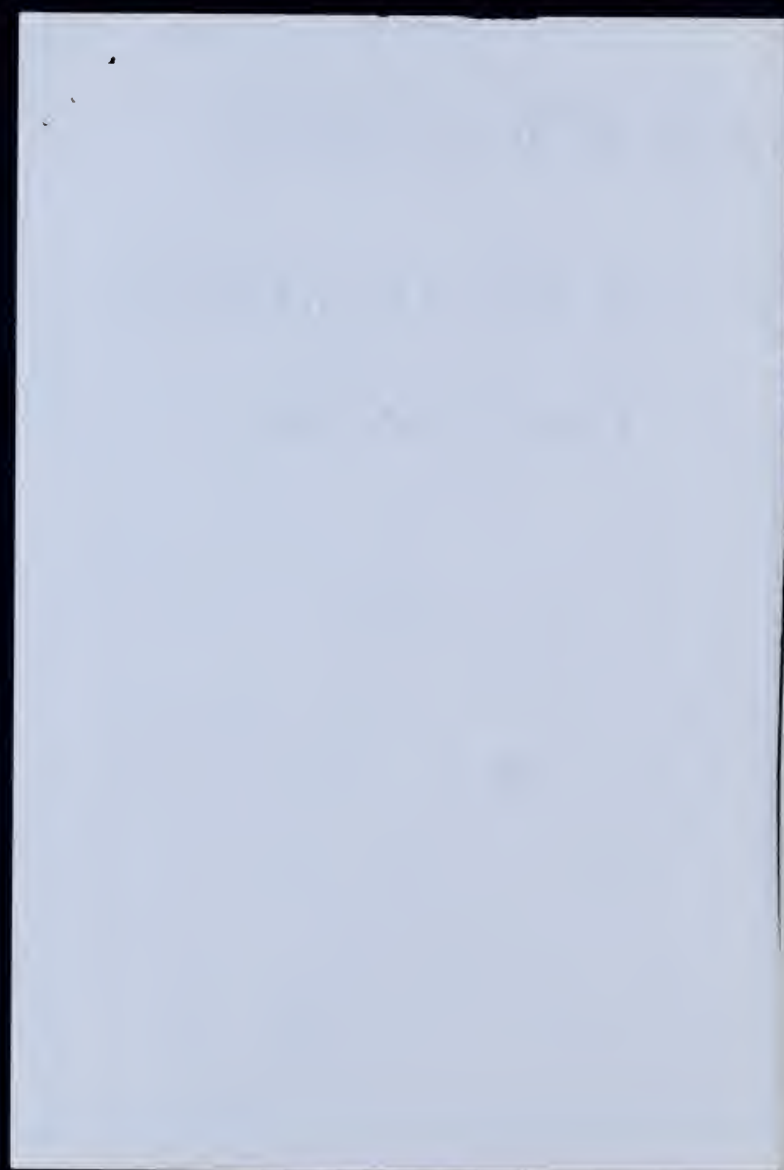
Bertranda A. Guess, h.w. 1874-1942

Mary B. a wife Geo Kupper 1858-1892

Chas N a - d 12.7.1884 ^{as} 38

Benjamin a d. 20.1.1871 ^{as} 58.10.0

Charlotte hus d 6.1.1867. ^{as} 44.10.0



Morven Cemetery

George Assestine 1833-1897
Ann Finkbe, his wife. 1832-1910
Herbert- 1865.

Rena, his daughter 1891-98

Charles 1861-1929

Annie Brighton his wife 1869

Freddy, their son 1898-1899

Cyrus Alden d. Feb 23, 1864 ae 7 yr 9 mo

Frederick b. Mar 25, 1871; d. Jan 28, 1877

Frank b. Mar 25, 1871; d. Feb 6, 1871

Sons of Billings & Lucy Assestine

Jacob B. Assestine 1831-1882

Anna E. Thompson his wife 1840-1918

Robert N. 1864-1885

Federick E 1871-1923

S. Ida J. 1862-19

Nicholas Assestine d. June 12, 1892 ae 84 yr 10 mo 6 days

Margaret Empey, his wife. d. June 3, 1887, ae 77 yr 2 mo 24 days

Samuel N. Assestine b. Dec 25, 1850; d. Jan 27, 1918

Almira C. Huffman, his wife. 1853-1926; 73 yrs

John A Clark d. July 2, 1899, ae 59 yr 9 mo

E. A. Assestine, his wife d. Mar. 18, 1878, ae 32 yrs

John Fletcher Assestine d. Sept. 20, 1874 ae 26 yr 6 mo 16 days.

Flossie Blanche d. Dec. 24, 1894 ae 11 yr 1 mo

Morris d. Nov. 3, 1908, ae 19 yr 10 mo 11 days

Children of S & A Assestine

Elizabeth Ann Assestine 1879-1902

Follows Cemetery

Jane Assestine wife of Richard Haver, d. Apr. 6, 1888, ae 86 yr 3 mo. 19 days

John C. Clark Diary

Asselstine

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Union Cemetery Ernesttown

Hannah E. Cyclopedia, wife of Benjamin Asselstine, d. May 1?, 1859, aged 30 yrs. 8 mo. 20 days.

Peter Asselstine d. May 15, 1826, aged 84 years
Christina Davy, his wife, d. July 29, 1805, aged 37 yr. 8 days.

John Asselstine d. June 30, 1858, ae 69 yr 11 mo 7 days

Mary, his wife, d. Aug. 18, 1848, ae — + 2 mo. (bur

Margaret Asselstine d. Oct. 17, 1835, ae 22 yr. 10 mo. 27 days.

Michael Asselstine 1846-1927

Jane Ann Chatterton, his wife, 1847-1923

Both United Ch Cemetery

George Asselstine, d. Aug. 16, 1861, ae 67 yr 4 mo 18 days

Catharine, his wife, d. May 22, 1844, aged 38 yr 8 mo 10 days.

Ruth B., wife of George Asselstine, d. Mar 2, 1858, ae 21 yr. 5 mo.

Ruth B, their child, d. Aug. 17, 1858, ae 5 mo. 25 days.

Violet Cemetery

Cyrus G. Asselstine b. Jan. 11, 1818; d. Sept 15, 1894

Alice Ayer, his wife, d. Dec 18, 1875 ae 50 yr 2 mo

Nicholas A. Asselstine b. May 15, 1848; d. May 11, 1925.

Isabella Smith, his wife b. Apr. 8, 1848; d. Jan 21, 1929

Grace Smith, his wife. b. Oct. 2, 1858; d. Nov 10, 1894

over.

Dear Aunt

Mr Burleigh

Here is a letter which came
in with Mrs Askelines returned
I thought I had better forward it
to you for attention

Yours truly
HJB



74 E. Lakes Ave. W.

Asselstine

Windsor April 18th 61

Mrs. H. G. Blakely
Picton, Ont.

Dear Sir:- Enclosed is cheque for 1961 dues
and I wish to add a few things to the library & Museum
when it's completed for housing Varied Articles. I set aside
I Copy of my book: "A Pioneer Family 1649 to 1949" which
is a record of Van Asselsteyn family (Asselstine) in North America.
ii A photostat copy of Military Discharge of my gr. gr.
grandfather John Asselstine 1783 (The original exists & a
photostat is on file in Provincial Archives of Ontario.
iii John's marriage Certificate 1784 (2nd marriage)
[issued at Montreal, March 4th 1784 - (photostat copy)]
iv Copy (photo) Dutch Coat of Arms of early family, - and
several other items that may be of interest.

I have varied bead ornamentations worn on dresses of
my Aunt, and are at least 75 yrs old + several early
photos of family, 80 yrs ago or more. A bible with
leather clasp & leather binding, presented to my aunt by
her grandmother, Mary Moore about 1859.

My granddaddy is, that the museum space, & proper
equipment to preserve such items.

I may be in Nanawau area in June 1961 & can inquire
then, probably. Anyhow these ^{things} are labeled (in envelope)
for "Adolf Asselstine N.E.L. Museum" in my desk.

Sincerely

Kathryn Asselstine

Bead

P.S. Ornaments on dress, were then referred to in French i.e. Parurements.



Asselstine

Jacob ~~XXXX~~ Asselstine Family Bible.

In possession of Norton Asselstine,
Collins Bay, Ont.

Aug 8 1949.

Marriages

Jacob Asselstine was married to Hannah Benn October 11, 1827.

Mary Barbara Asselstine was married to George Garrison Feb. 22, 1848.

Huldah Asselstine was married to Milton Vanluvan October 9, 1850

Births

Jacob Asselstine was born April 25, 1805.

Hannah Asselstine was born May 30, 1806.

Mary Barbara Asselstine was born November 26, 1828.

Huldah Asselstine was born April 30, 1830.

Elizabeth Ann Asselstine was born November 13, 1831.

Silvester Henry Asselstine was born July 23, 1833.

George Nicholas Asselstine was born April 8, 1835

Margaret Jane Asselstine was born February 1, 1837.

John Ezra Asselstine was born November 25, 1838

Cyril James Asselstine was born Sept. 9, 1840

Isaac Benjamin Asselstine was born Sept. 10, 1842.

Ira Nelson Asselstine was born June 14, 1844.

Catharile Malisa Asselstine was born May 20, 1846.

Deaths

Isaac Benjamin Asselstine died 7 February, 1916.

Mary Barbara Garrison died Sept. 2, 1921.



John Ezra Asselstine was married three times.

He died in 1926, aged 88 years.

1st to Miss Ruttan, dau. of Peter, and granddaughter to
Matthew Howe.

Children

1. Arthur Asselstine, 131 Bay St., Kingston.
2. Ernest, at Mrs. Saunders, a diabetic, with
failing mentality.
3. Herbert Asselstine, former schoolteacher,
Living in Toronto.

and

3rd to Minerva Horning

Children

Horton, married Edna Gilbert, daughter of
Wilmot Gilbert and Addie Clute.
Wilmot is son of Daniel Gilbert,
of Macanee District.
Addie Clute is sister to Mrs.
Loucks, and daughter of John Clute
Roy, a mining engineer in Schumacker, Ont.
Oliver, living in Calgary, Alta.

(This information was supplied by Mrs. Horton Asselstine,
August 8, 1949).



List of Capt. Jonathan Jones' Coy., Loyal Rangers, Riviere du Chene, 24 Feb., 1783.

Peter Eselstine, pte. Active Service.

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List of Capt. ~~W~~ John Jones' Coy., Loyal Rangers, Riviere du Chene, 24 Feb., 1783.

John Eselstine, pte. Active Service.

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Return of Capt. Christian Wehr's Coy. of 2nd Batt. K. R. R. N. Y., Sorel, 11 Oct., 1778

Petter Esselsten
John Esselstein.

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Age; of what country, size and length of Service

of Capt. John Jones Coy, Loyal Rangers Vercheres, 1 Jan., 1782.

John Eselstine, America, aged 27, 5 ft. 10 ins. 4 years 4 months service.
(born 1757)

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of Capt. John Jones' Coy., Loyal Rangers, Riviere du Chene, 1 Jan., 1783.

John Eselstine, America, aged 28, 5 ft. 10 ins., 5 yrs. 4 mos.

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of Capt. Jonathan Jones' Coy., Loyal Rangers, Riviere du Chene, 1 Jan., 1783.

Peter Aselstine, America, aged 36, 6 ft. 1 in., 5 yr. 4 mo. service.
(born 1746)

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A List of Officers, Sergeants, Corporals, Drummers and Privates of King's Loyal Americans, commanded by Lt.-Col. Ebenezer Jessup, 24 Oct., 1780.

John Eselstine at Quebec, in the King's Works.

Peter Eselstine at La Colle in the King's Works.



Peter (Sr.) Asseltine Loyalist born N.H. 1741
 married Christine Davey. both buried
 at Lutheran Cemetery near Bath - N.H.
 (I also believe his brother John is buried there, altho grave
 not marked)

Peter Senior's family as follows:
Isaac { I think he may be born to ^{Peter's} 1st wife ^{and} ^{land}
 grant near his father Peter in Ennetown, he
 married Hannah Davey.

Peter Jr. married Susannah Ball, Jan. 15th 1809 per Mc Dowell

John: married - Mary Amey Feb 20/1812 (Church records)
 daughter of Nicholas Amey.

Michael " Nancy Fraser
 George " born 3-29-1797 (? marriage)
 Elizabeth ? ?
 Margaret " Paul Egner
 Henry " Sarah

Peter (son of Peter Sr.) & Susannah Ball (children)
 Abraham { 1st wife ?
 2nd " Lucinda Walker

Nicholas wife: Mary Ann Hunter
 Peter " ? name (he had 7 sons: George, Sperry, Herbert, Henry,
 Harner, Peter & Davis)

the daughters of Peter (son of Peter Sr.) were
 Jane married Stephen Smith

Justice ? marriage

Isaac (son of Peter Sr.) & Hannah Davey. their children

John Davis baptised 3/25/1802 married 1st Mary Chatterson
 Henry " wife Sarah { 2nd Esther Foster

Jane married Isaac Fraser

? William (I am not sure that he had a son William but some
 record suggest it.)

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Loyalist Peter Dr. descendants, Continued (Page 2)

son of Peter Dr.

John A. & Mary Amey & their children

Margaret born 11-22-1812 died 10-17-1835

Sarah " 6-17-1815 Married Fletcher Empey

Levi died in infancy

Elizabeth " " "

Nicholas " " "

Emily married Francis Empey.

Billings " Luthenia Huffman

Eleanor Jane born 2-22-1834 died 3-9-21

nov. 7-1819

Michael (son of Peter Dr.) married Nancy Fraser: their children

Isaac married Minerva Parrott (Woolen Mills owner)

Nancy born 1820 } P.S. They obtained woolen mills thru the
Sarah " 1824 } Frasers.

3rd Generation

Henry A. (Grand Son of Peter Dr.) & wife Sarah. He built most of
Early homes of Kingston.

Children: William Lewis born 5-15-1824

Benjamin " 5-21-1826 married ^{1st} Hannah Aylerworth

Isaac " 4-15-1830 married ^{2nd} Mary L "

Richard " Aug. 7-1833

Mary Jane " 1836

Henry " 1838

Leonard " 1840

Peter " 1842

John " 1844

Simon " 1846

Note this Henry was a
son of Isaac oldest son
of Peter Dr.



Loyalist Peter Dr. descendants; Contd (Page 3)

3rd Generation

{ John Davis Asseltine & Martha Chatterson (son of Isaac ^{Asseltine} & Hannah Davey)
John Wesley Asseltine born 1847 (only son)
ELECTA Jane 1840, Agnes 1842, Hannah 1843, Mary 1844 Catherine 1845
Martha 1848, Almada 1850

William ? (son of Isaac A & Hannah Davey)

Nance

Billy Fred

Marie; Ann; & Martha

→ note: omitted children born to 2nd wife of John Davis Asseltine
2nd wife Esther Foster & their family as follows

{ James D. born 1852	Daughters were
{ Herbert P " 1861	Jessie Ellen, Francis M.
{ Isaac Newton " 1863	Florence E. Nancy Eliza
{ George W. " 1866	

Isaac Asseltine & Minerva Parrot & children viz:-

{ Michael (of woolen mills) married Jane Ann Chatterson
Henry
Jonathan
Elanor
→ parents of Frances Asseltine
present owner of Woolen Mills

Benjamin; who married Aylesworth sisters

David A. died 1857 (young)
Henry Arney born 12-3-1853

Nancy
Hannah
more daughters

Robert W. 12-24-1869



22 J. B. of S. F. = Anna E. Thompson 1839-1918

23 Samuel Nicholas of S. F. 1840-1918

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 Mrs Edgar Unger Ellyth Maurice H Adah Yellotson Isaac
 of Minneapolis
 1888-1908
 bur. Norway

24 Nicholas = 12.28.1830 Mary Barbara Seiler of Redlands.

25 Benjamin = Hannah E. Aylsworth (bur Ernest)
 9.11.1828: 5.31.1859

26 Michael A. 1846-1927 = Jane Ann Chatterson 1847-1923

27 Asselstine Plot Bath Angl. Ch

Susie Campion 1851-1926.

(Her husband, Isaac Asselstine died in K. a few yrs ago & buried in Bath ^{Ch})

28. Jno = Myra

John Stammers A (of Kingston) 5.21.1826



Asaelstine
Mrs. Fitchett.

Dave Aylsworth
Trinia =
Mich Asaelstine
|
Michael Sarah Eliz.
ran
woollen
mill

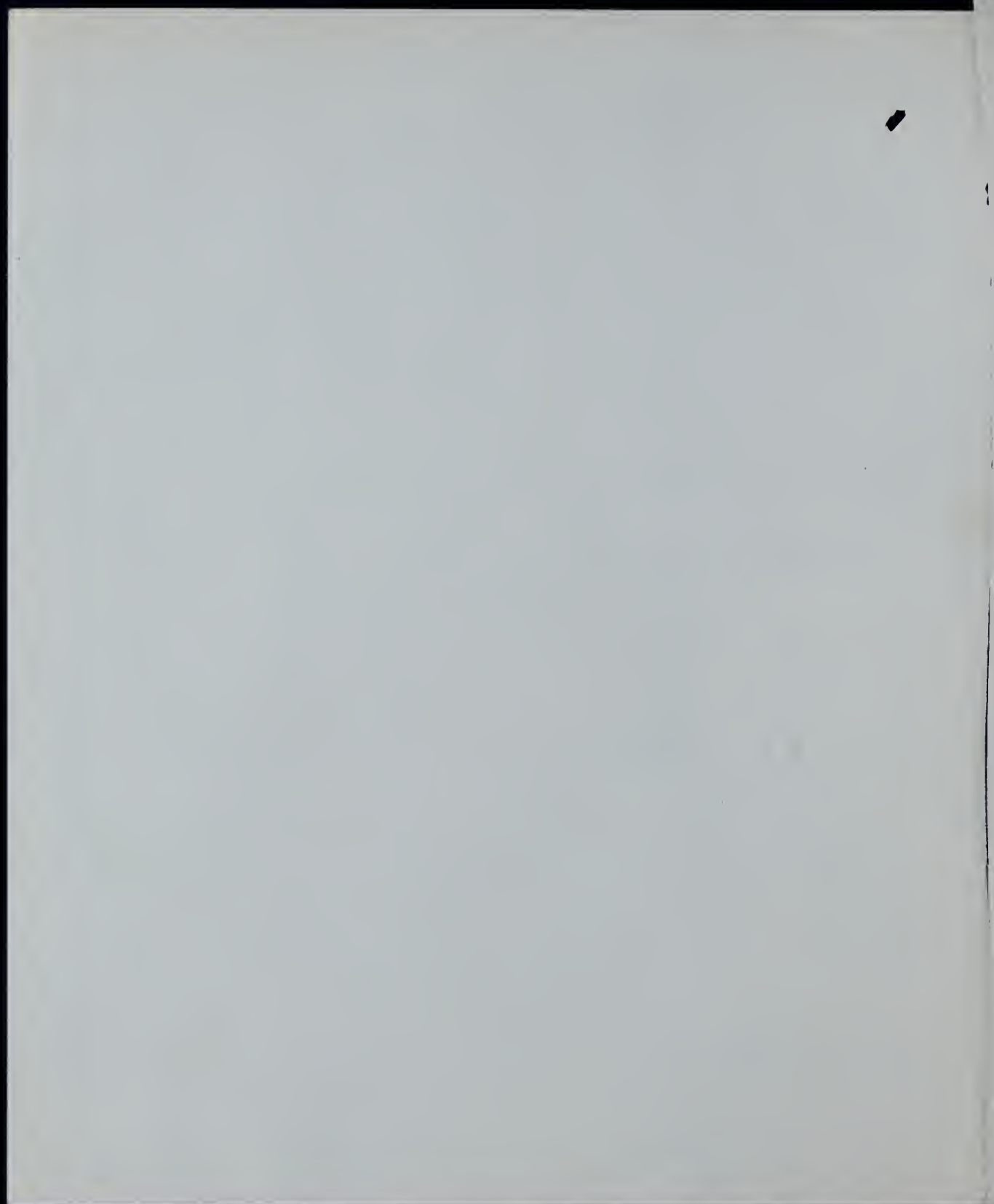
Fredericksburgh Assessment Roll of 1808

Aseltine, Isaac

acres uncultivated	108
cultivated	6
houses rd. log	1
assessment	-
horses	2
oxen	-
cows	2
horned cattle	-
swine	-

Clipping - Benn File.

Miss Catherine Asaelstine, of Windsor, was bridesmaid of
her cousin, Olea Benn, dau Storer Benn + Sarah Switzer. Lifetime
resident of Moscow, who was married Aug. 29, 1900
(This is most likely the person who sent me the records on file)



Miss Ascelatine & Harold Martin

Martin

Amos Sr = Susannah Ball

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Amos Jr = Schumacher

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Elias = Hannah Grange
1806

Isaac A = Hannah Dwyer

|

William A = Catherine Moore

|

Isaac A = Hannah Dwyer 1860?

|

Miss Ascelatine

= Ed Nugent
Newburg

Harold
Martin

Rachel = Matthew
Lockhead
b. 1825
3 sons 3 daughters

William

|

Frederick
Martin

|

Aug 25. 1951. Second letter to Mr. C. R. Martin 8243
Chalfonte Ave Detroit Mich.

Hartford June 30 Jan 1954.

Query B-6076(1) MARTIN-DURKEE
George (2) Martin (George-1) mar. in Ipswich Mass. 1712-13 (see
W.R.) Elizabeth Durkee; her anc. asked.
A. G. W.

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Addressees:

Miss K. Arselatine
1684 Pelissier St. Windsor.

John, U.E., = 1st Katherine
= 2^d Mary.

Ont. Coll. of Pharmacy.
Gerrard St East, Toronto.

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

MEMORANDUM:

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Mrs. Sylvester Arrelstone
ne Martha Dennison

of Moscow

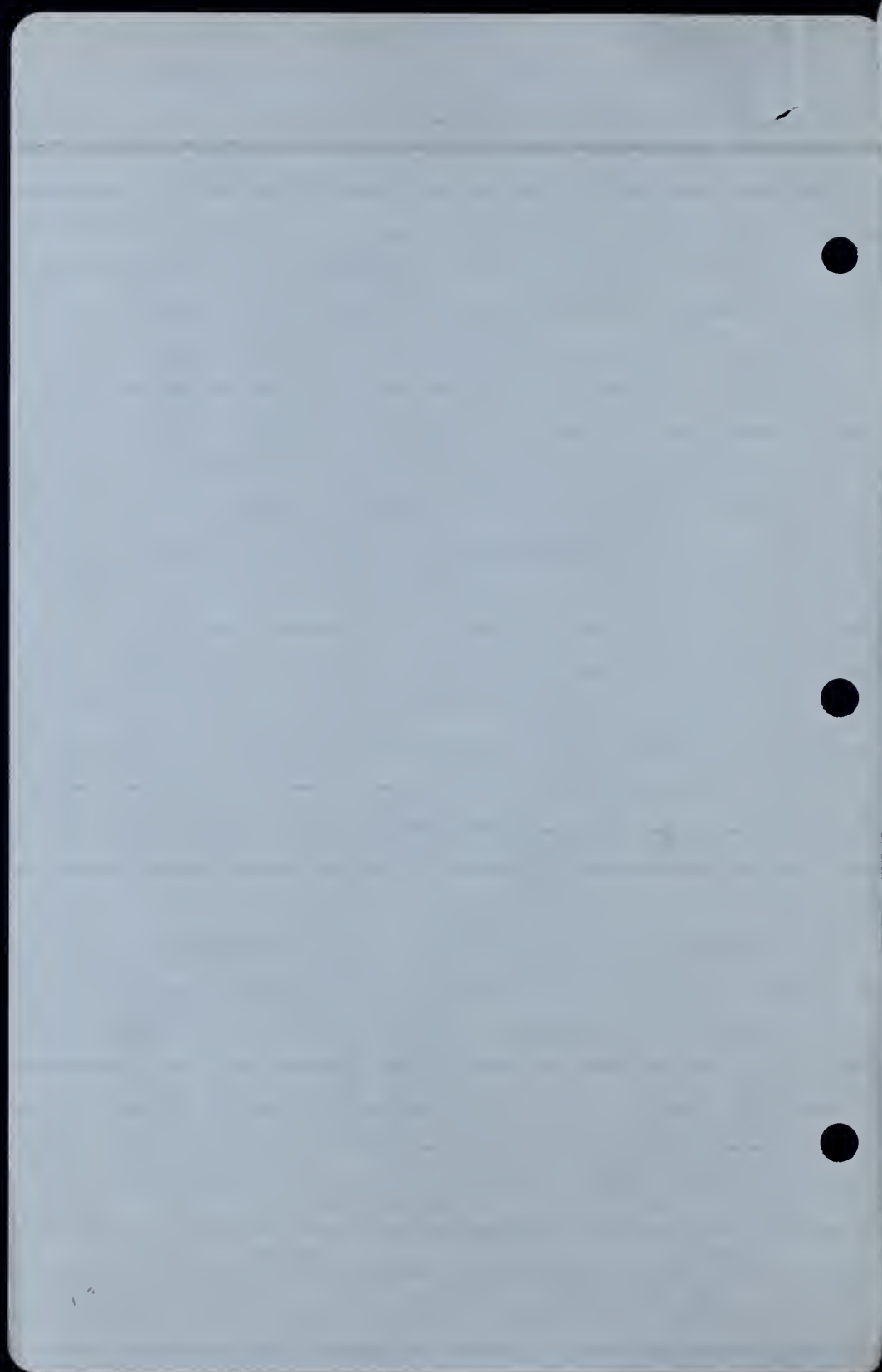
Survived by 2 children. Husband predeceased her.

1. Mrs. W. A. Potter

2. Robert

} of Moscow

Died July 20, 1915 at the son, Robert, in Moscow.

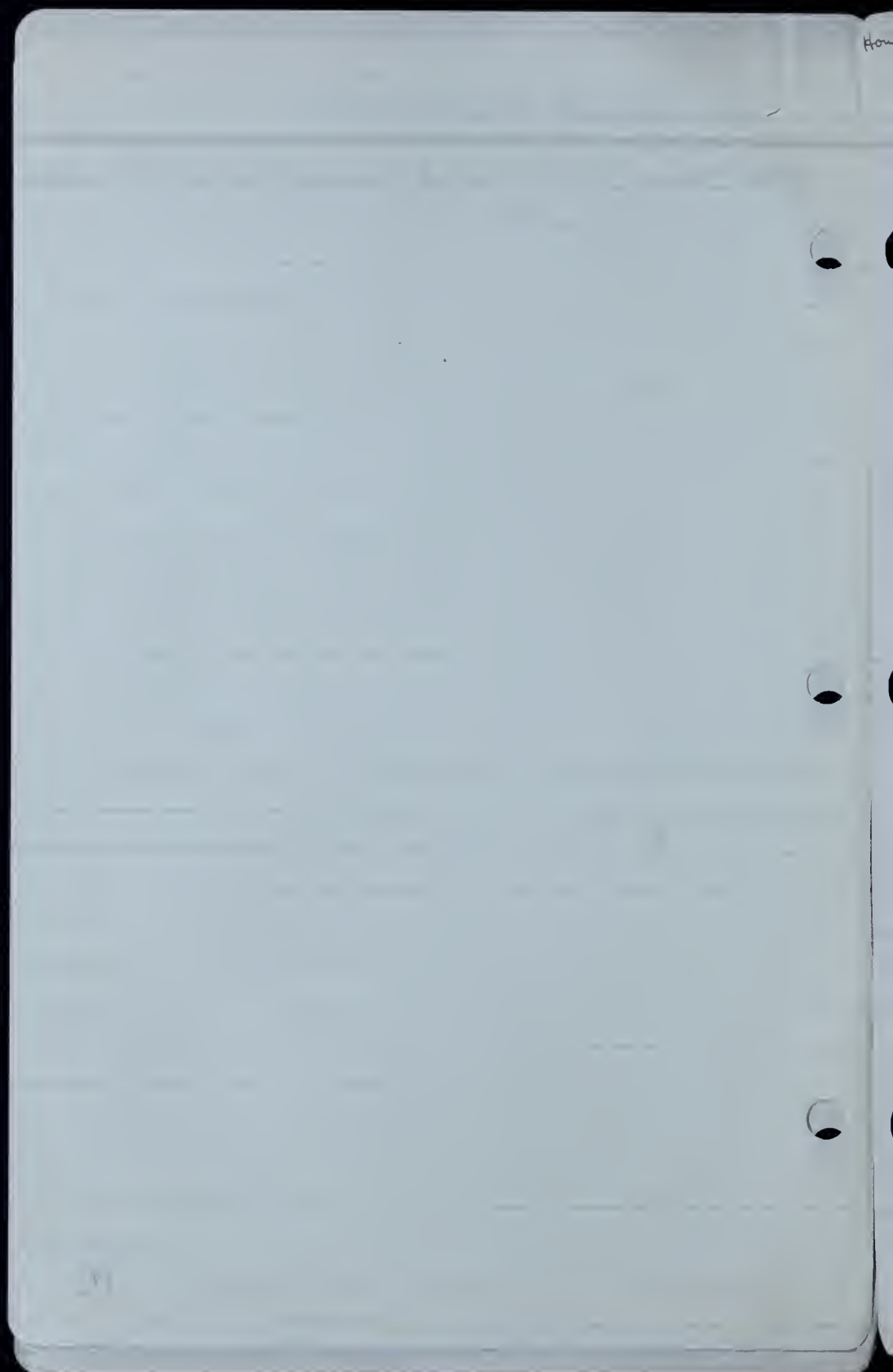


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Mrs. J. B. Asselstine
nee Anna E. Thompson.

of South Frederickburgh

Died Feb. 25, 1918 relict of the late J. B. Asselstine, aged
78 yrs & 3 months

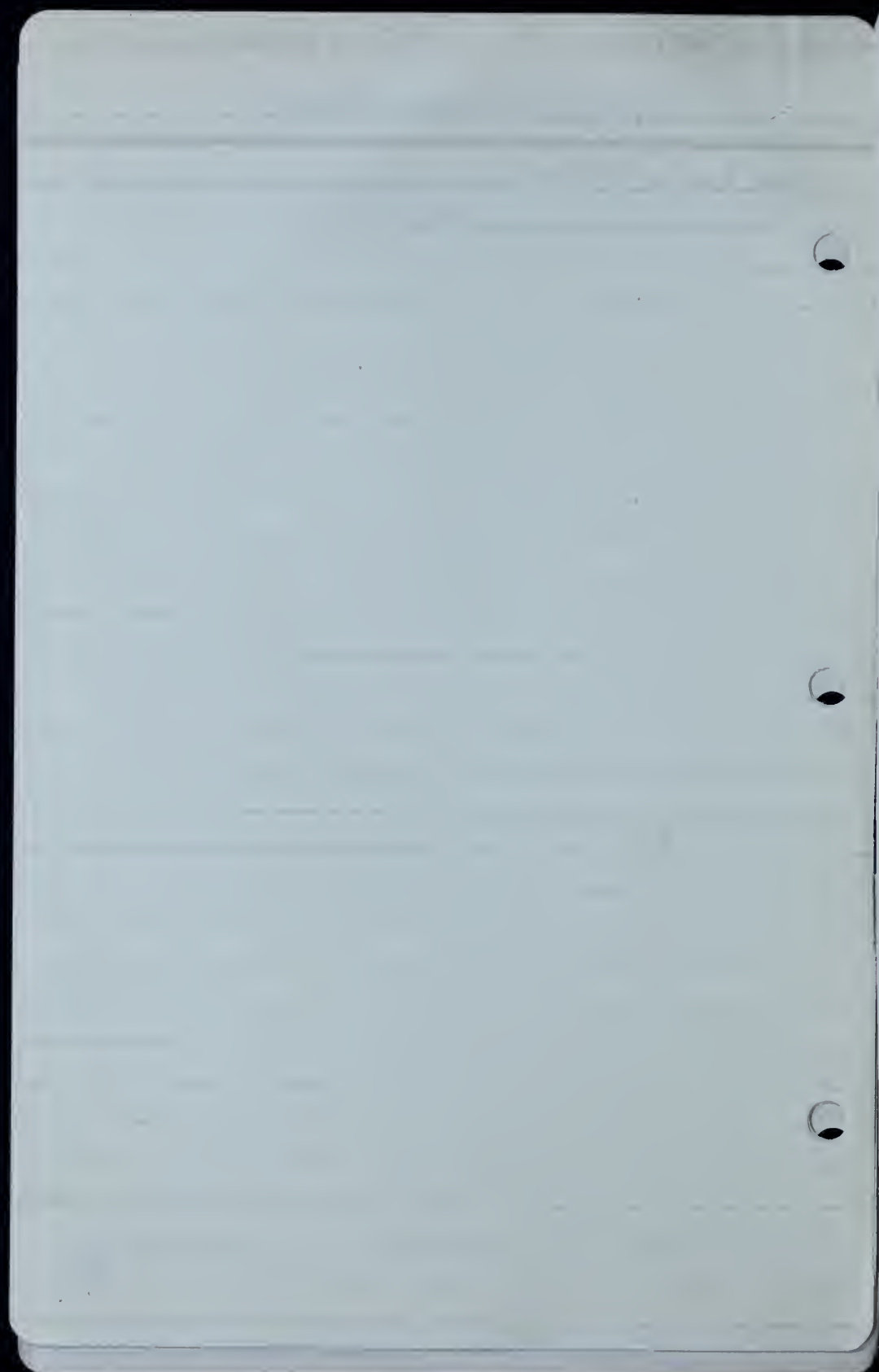


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Samuel Nicholas Arrelstine

of South Fredericksburgh

Died Jan 29th, 1918 aged 67 yrs. 1 month. Burial in
Riverside Cemetery, Napanee



Hough Ser. Bk. #2, p. 18
1908

Maurice H. Asselstine

of Minneapolis, Minn.

Third son of Samuel N. Asselstine, of Hawley.
Was a member of the Wide Awake Circle & of the
Hawley Football Association.

Survived by his parents and 3 sisters & 2 brothers.

1. Mrs. Elgin Ungar, of Minneapolis, Minn.

2. Miss Elizabeth Asselstine, of Chicago, Ill.

3. Ada, at home

4. Tillison, at home

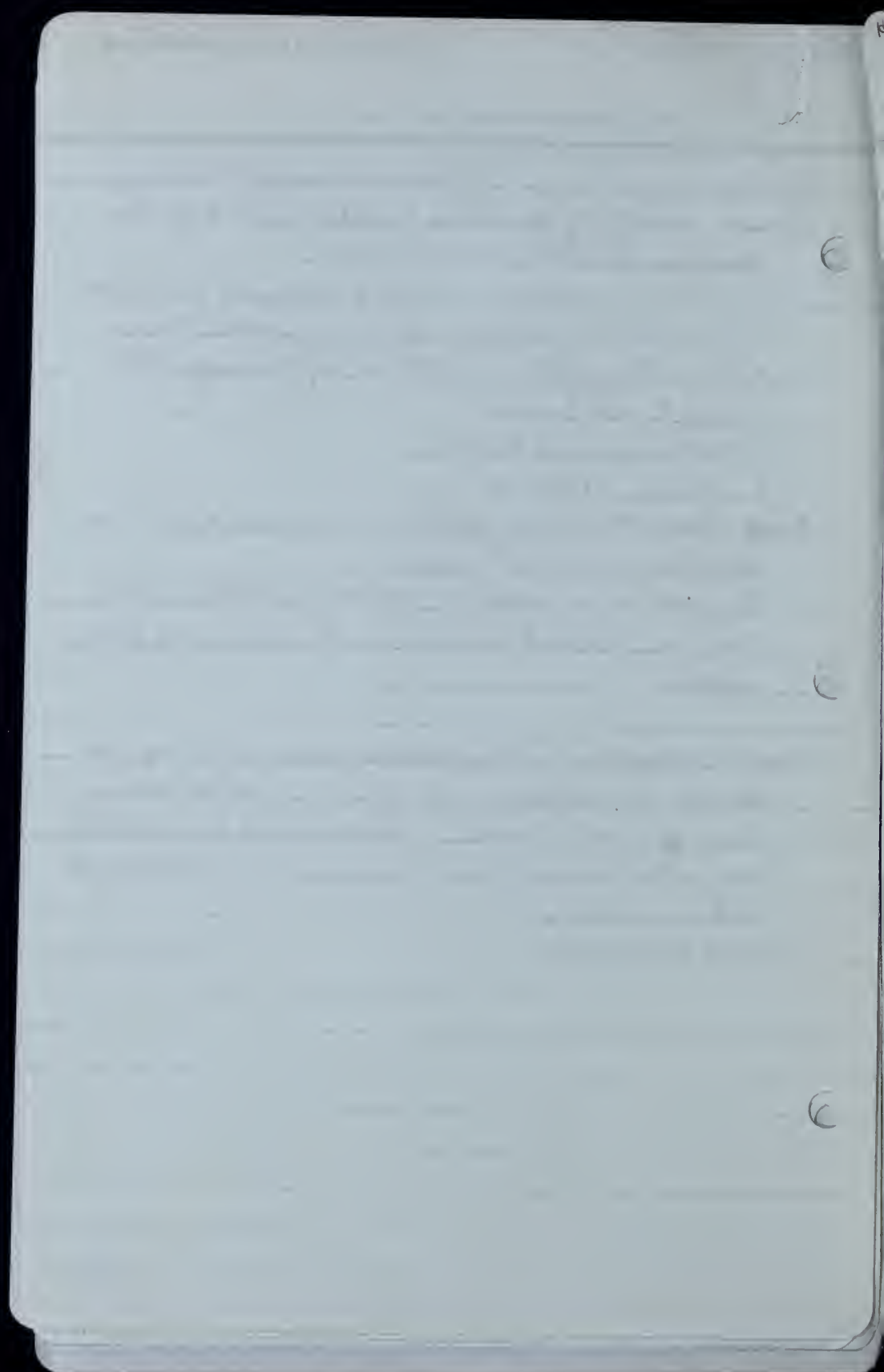
5. Isaac, at home

Died Nov 3rd at Minneapolis in an accident in an
elevator, in his 20th year

Funeral conducted by Rev. Mr. DeMille, at the
Hawley Bethel church, in the absence of their
pastor.

Was employed in a hardware store running an
elevator. He stepped out of it and at the same
time it shot upwards. Was caught between the
door & the upper floor. Accident on Saturday &
died on Tuesday.

Burial in Norway.



1909.

of Napanee

Son of Isaac Asselstine who, for loyalty to the British Crown, received a grant of land in the Township of King, not very far from Toronto; this he sold & bought land from the government at the head of Hay Bay, in the Township of South Fredericksburgh. Although of Dutch parentage & using the Dutch language & Dutch bible in the family during the early part of their residence in this country, like many more of the same nationality, he left his home in the "land of the free" to enjoy the security & liberty that is always found where the British flag is unfurled. The original purchase was added to until the family owned a valuable estate. This property has remained in the family for more than a century & is now occupied by the fourth generation of the same name. The family of 5 sons & 2 daughters all settled & prospered in this County. Several of them located near Moscow, & Wm C. set down his stakes in the corner of Camden, at what is known as Asselstine's Hill, where he spent many years. Retired to Napanee to live with his dau., Delia. He was the last surviving member of his family. Ch.

198 1. Whitney, on the homestead.

196 2. Oscar, at Marlbank

201 3. Wm., in Manitoba

200 4. Mrs. Weese, Centreville (Orchardia)

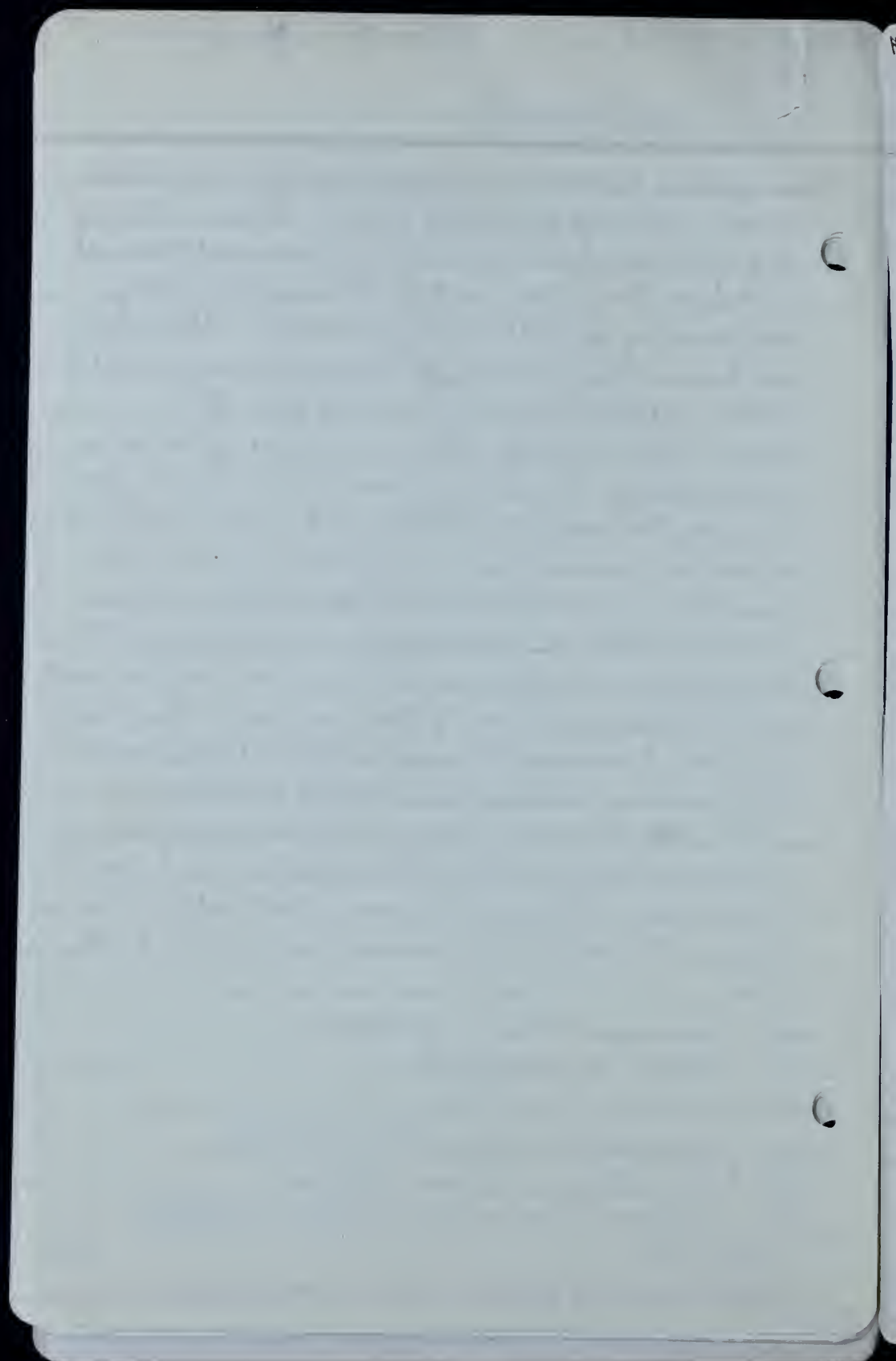
199 5. Mrs. Clark, in Picton (Ephie)

191 6. Delia, Napanee (m. am. Cyrus Asselstine)

Methodist

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Died at Napanee, Mill St. Mar. 10, 1909 aged 88 yrs. 2 mos.



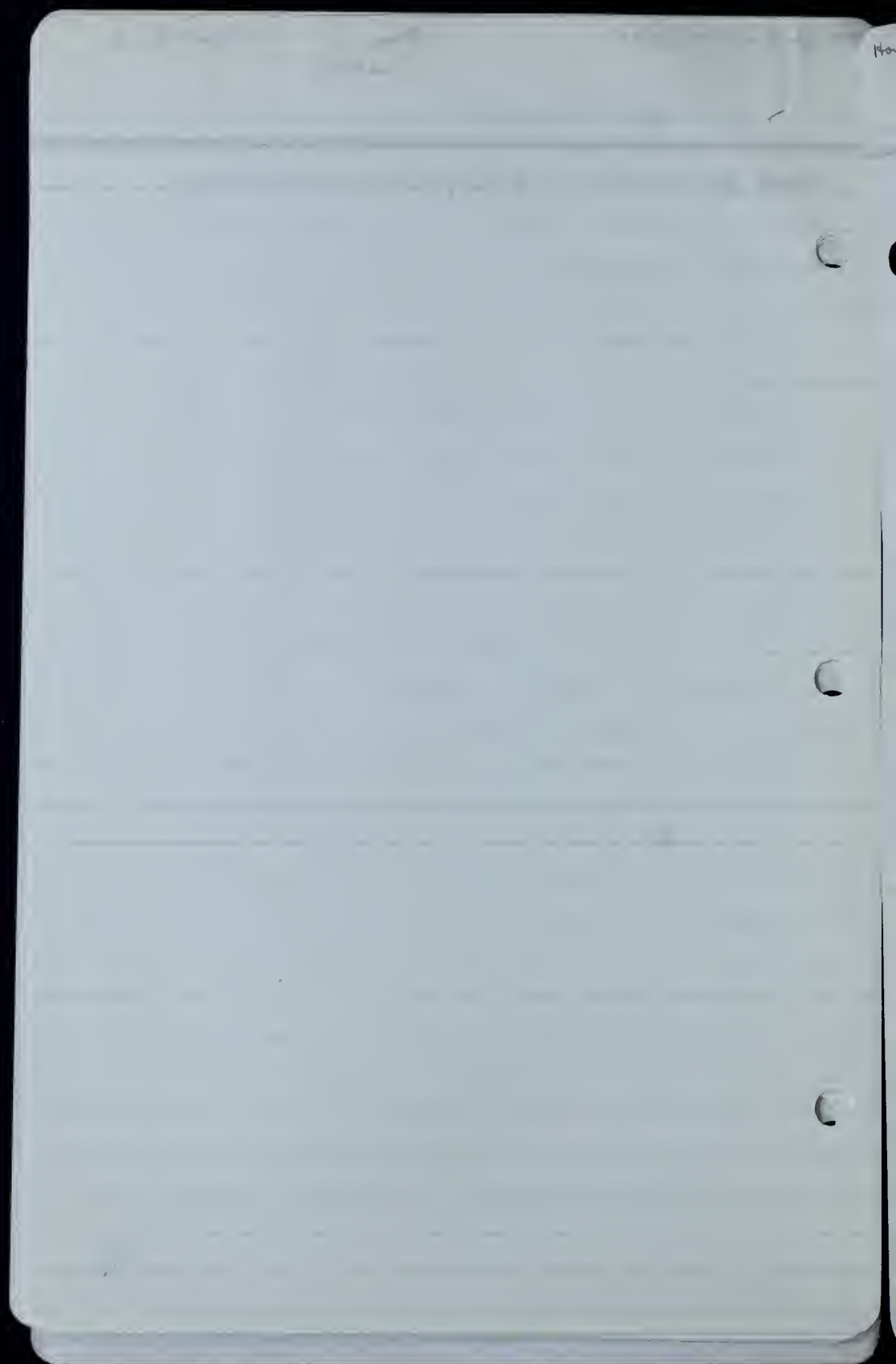
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Mrs.
Nee Eaten

Arrelstine

of Richmond

Died Jan 12, 1913. aged 89 yrs, 5 months + 10 days.

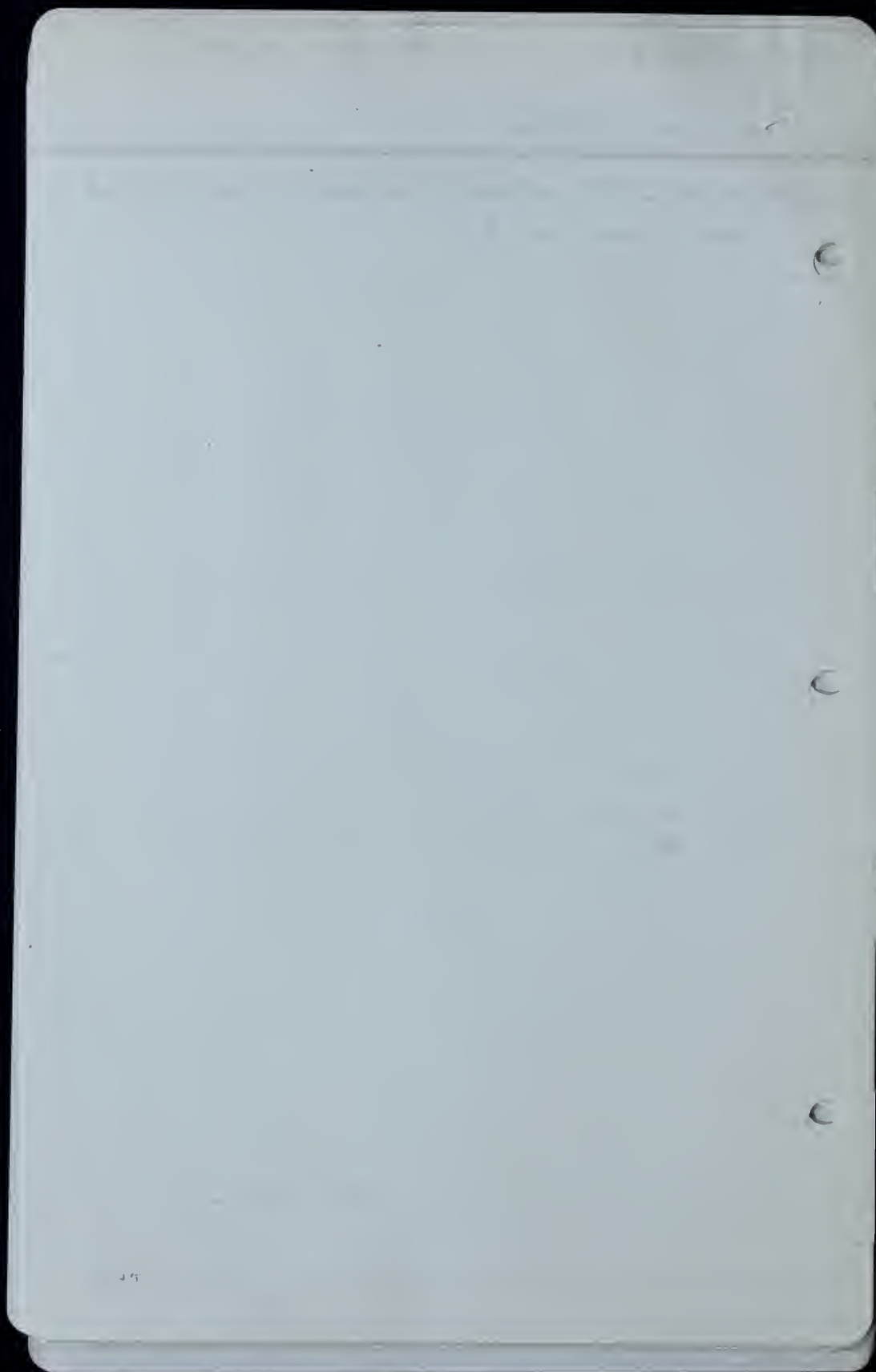


Hough Ser. Bk. 1, p 34

Mrs. Geo. Asselstine
nee Anne

of Hawley

Died Mar. 5, 1910 relict of the late George Asselstine
aged 78 yrs, 7 months.



U. E. L. Rolls

Asselstine

Descendants

Dom. Archives.

Asselstine, Isaac, son of Peter M.D. Fredericksburgh
" Christian, daughter of Peter Dwy, U.E.
" Hannah, " " " " " "

E. Series

Warrant Book Land

Sons of U.E. + Daughters of U.E. 1817-1846

Asselstine, Andrew Emerttson, yeoman, son of John.

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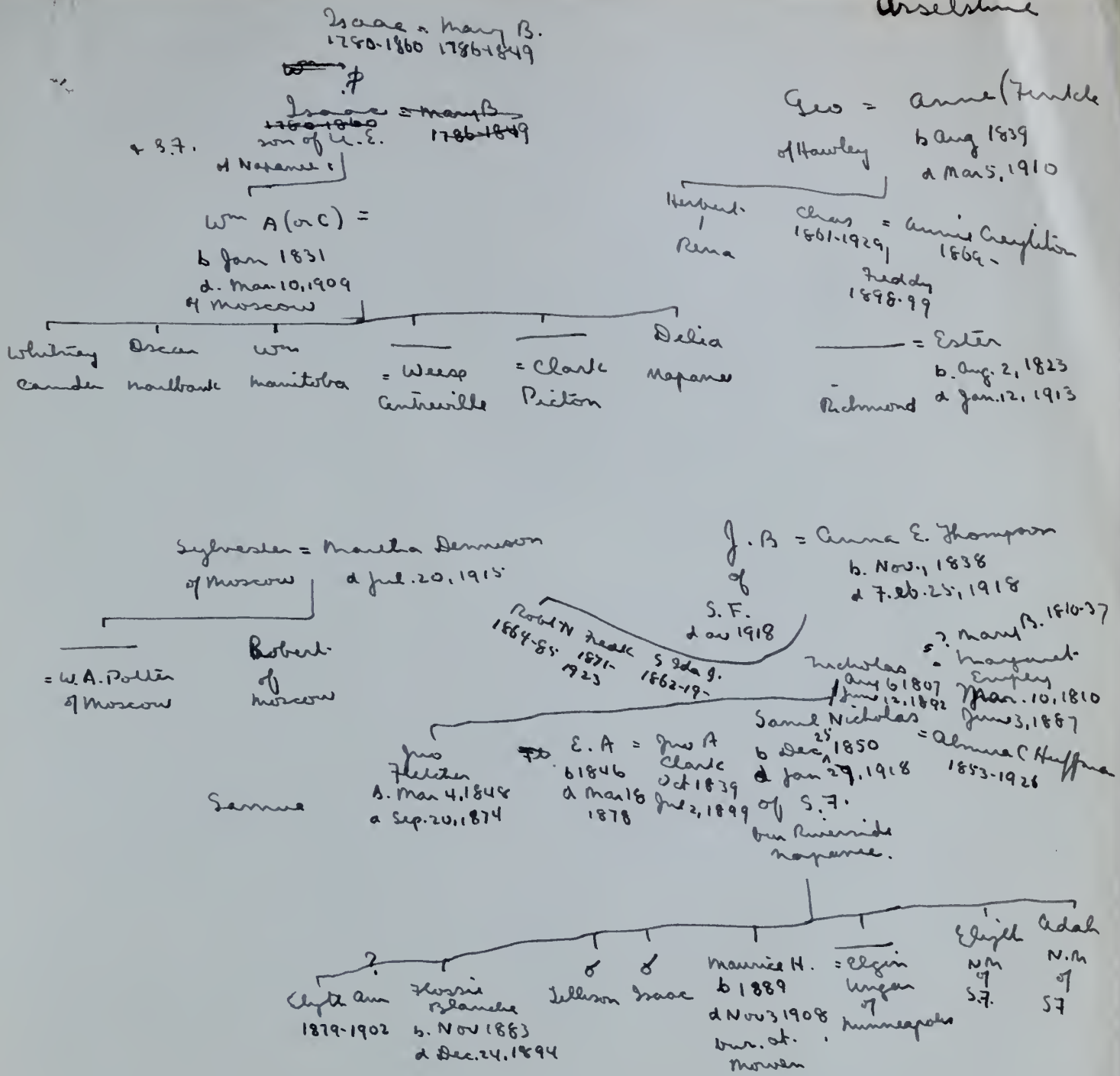
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Close's Mill Cemetery.

⁶³
 Isaac Asselstine, d. June 25, 1860, ae 80 (b 1780)
 Mary B., h.w., d Apr 17, 1849, ae 63 yrs (b 1786)
 Mary B., wife of ¹⁶² Nicholas Asselstine, d. Feb. 4, 1837 ae 26.9 (b May 1810)

McDonnell Register

Peter Asselstine, 2 = Susannah Ball, 2 1 Jan., 1809.

Peter Asselstine, 2, = Barbara Carr, 2 27 Aug., 1809

{ John Watson, 2, = James Asselstine, 2 -- Jan., 1810
 " " " " 2 Dec., 1810.

John Asselstine 2 = Mary Amey 2 20 May 1812

→ Margaret born 28 Nov., 1812

Anthony Denney, A.1. = Catharine Asselstine A.1. 16 Sep., 1816.

Richard Desart, 2 = Christian Estelstine, 2 15 Sep., 1818

Michael Asselstine, 2 = Catharine Fraser, 2 7. Nov 1819

→ Nancy born Aug 1820

Bocin Asselstine, 2 = Sophia Hammond, 2 2 Aug 1821

Isaac Asselstine = Hannah Davy → John Davis born 25 Mar 1812

Moscow (East) Cemetery

George Garrison, Nov. 19, 1822 - Nov. 5, 1909

Mary B. Asselstine, his wife 1829-1921



St Georges Church.

Asselstine

Elyza Asselstine sponsor June 30 1811
 Belong .. = David Powers Mar 5, 1811

Bath United Cemetery.

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George Asselstine, d. Aug. 16, 1861, ae 67.4.18 (b Jan 29, 1794)
 Catharine, h.w., d. May 22, 1844, ae 38.8.10 (b ~~1805~~ 12, 1805)
 Ruth B., wife of Geo. Asselstine, d. Mar 2 1858, ae 21.5 (b Oct 1836)
 Ruth B. their child, d. Aug. 17, 1858, ae 0.5.25 (b Feb 23, 1858)

Bath Anglican.

Bessie Campion, (wife of Isaac Asselstine of Bath. She died in
 Kingston) 1851-1926.

Ernestown Cemetery

^E Hannah Aylsworth, wife of Benjamin Asselstine, d. May 31, 1859,
 ae 30.8.20 (b ⁹⁵ Sep 11, 1828)

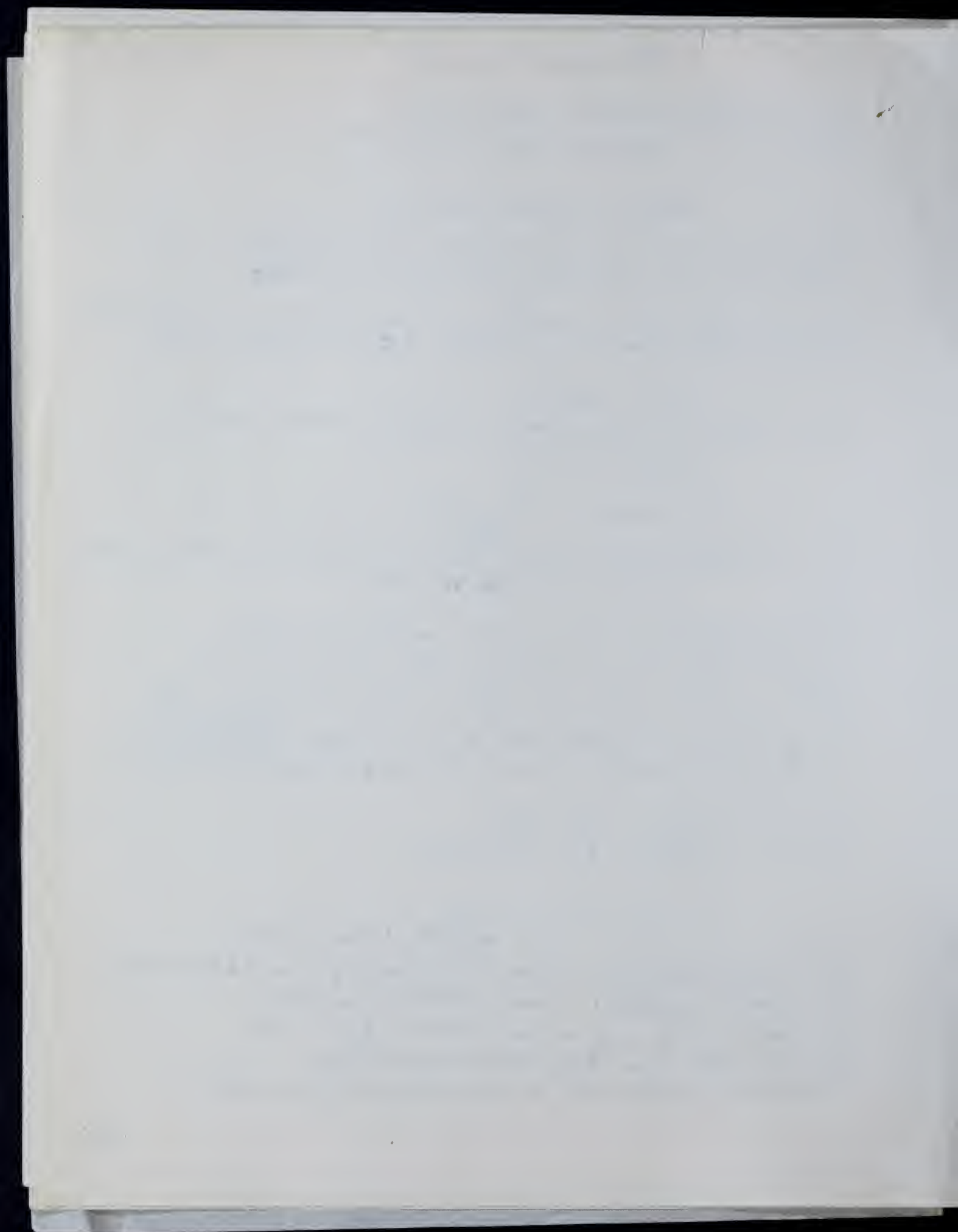
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Peter Asselstine, d. May 15, 1826, ae 84 yrs (b 1742)
 Christina Dwyer, h.w., d. July 29, 1805, ae 53 yrs (b 1752)
 59a? John Asselstine, d. June 30, 1858, ae 69.11.7 (b July 23, 1788)
 Mary, h.w., d. Aug. 18, 1848, ae - .2 mo (dan. Nicholas Amey) (b Val of 1812-15)
 Margaret Asselstine d. Oct. 17, 1835, ae 22.10.27 (b Nov 20, 1812)

Michael Asselstine 1846-1927
 Jane Ann Chatterton h.w. 1847-1923.

Vioblet Cemetery.

Cyprus J. Asselstine b Jan 11, 1818; d Sep. 15, 1894
 Alice Elyza (Clark) h.w., d. Dec. 18, 1875, ae 50 yr. 2 mo. (b Oct., 1825)
 Nicholas A. Asselstine b May 15, 1848; d. May 11, 1925
 Isabella Smith, h.w. b. Apr. 8, 1848; d. Jan. 21, 1929
 Grace Smith, h.w. Oct. 2, 1855; d. Nov. 18, 1894
 Proctor Arnold, (their ch.) b. Nov. 8, 1894; d. Jan 24, 1895.



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Census of 1851

Ernesttown

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Zenas	Laborer	"	"	17
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23 Mary² (bp 18-5-1794)

24 Christine

Peter¹ Asselstine b. N.Y. 1741 = Christine Davy. Buried in
Emmettstown Lutheran Cemetery dan of Peter sen U.E.

2 Isaac = Hannah Davy. d.m. of Peter jr U.E.

3. Peter Jr. = Susannah Ball 1 Jan 1809

4. John = Mary, dan of Nicholas Amey Feb 20 1812 (he bp 31-8-1788)
(? U.E. of 1812-15?)

5. Michael = Nancy Fraser (he bp. 20-6-1790)

6. George, born 3-29-1794 (married?)

7. Elizabeth

8 Margaret = Paul Egner

(9 Henry bp. 12-8-1792 bur 24-3-1793)

3. Peter Jr. = Susannah Ball

9. Abraham 1^o = ———? 2^d Lucinda Walker

10. Nicholas = Emantly Ann Smith

11 Peter = ———?

12 George

13 Sperry

14 Herbert

15 Henry

16 Warner

17 Peter

18 Davis

19 Jane = Stephen Smith

20 Justice (married?)

2. Isaac = Hannah Davy

21 John Davis bp 3-25-1802 = 1^o Mary Chatterson 2^d Escher Foster

22 Henry = Sarah

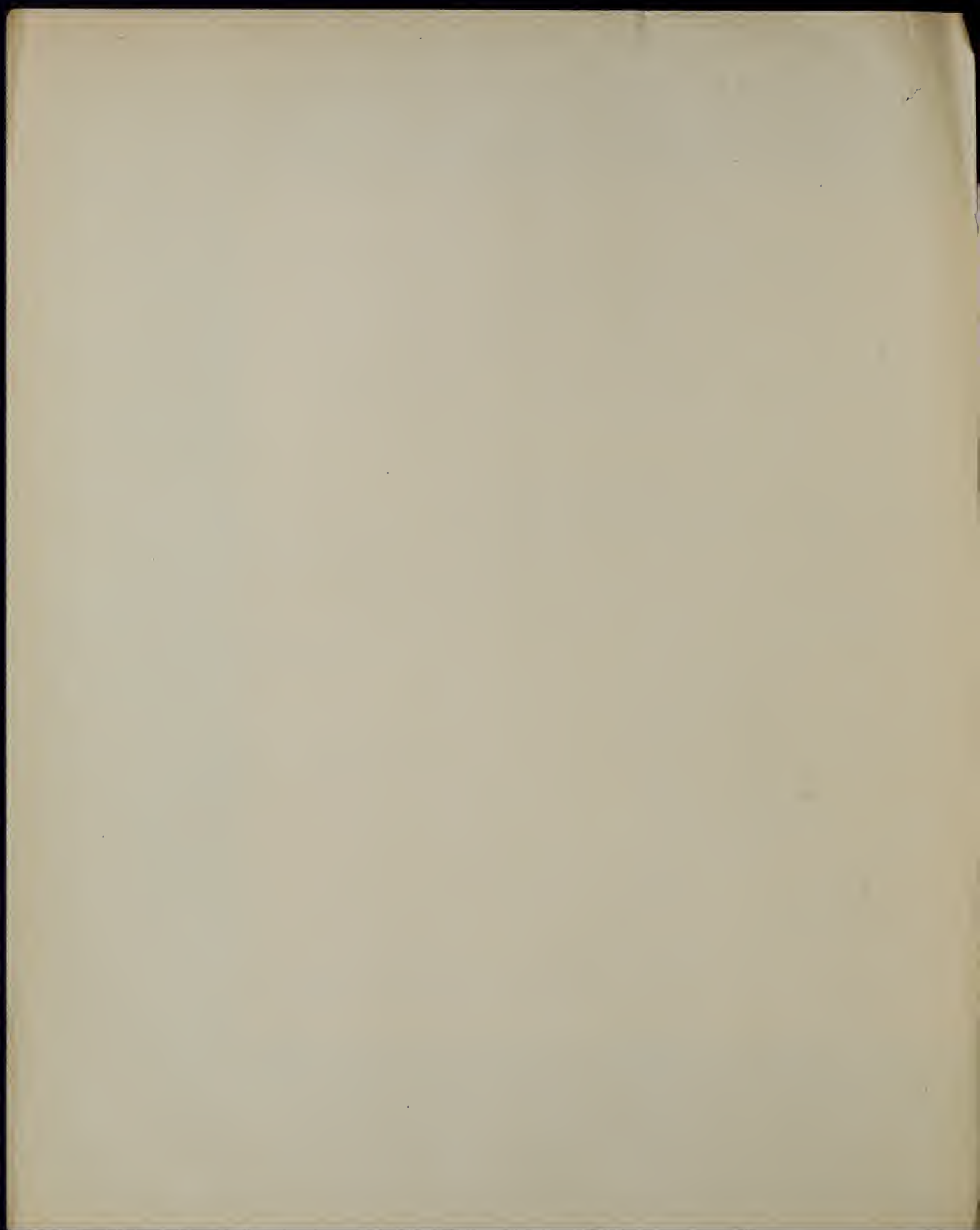
23 Jane = Isaac Fraser

24 ? William?

4 John = Mary Amey

25 Margaret b. 11-22-1812; d 10-17-1835-

26 Sarah b. 6-17-1815 = Fletcher Emery



Dept of Public Records & Archives
of Ontario
in its

List of Original Grantees & Children
does not list

a Susannah Ball as daughter of either
Shadrack or Solomon

There is, however, a

Susan, daughter of Solomon Ball, m. Hudson

Walker of Ernestown 17 Dec 1820.

Order in Council granting land on 1 Feb., 1830
& also 16 Apr., 1840

U. E. Rolls.

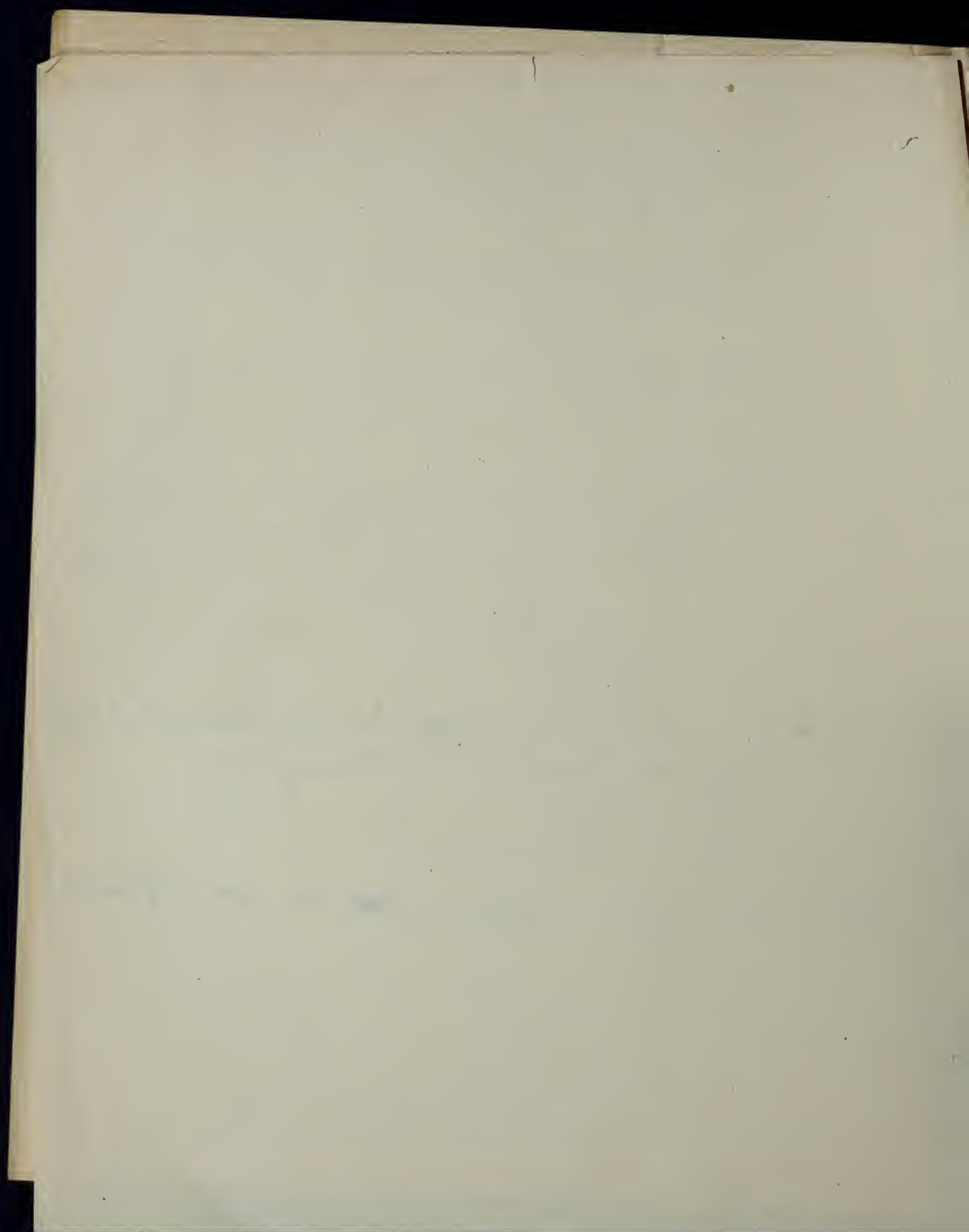
Asselstine, Isaac son of Peter m. D. Fredericksburgh

" Christian, Daugh. of Peter Davy U E

" Hannah " " " " U E

" E. Series 1817-1846

Asselstine, Andrew, Ernestown, ~~younger~~ son of John U E.



the Editor

aroused, no matter how little, you publish it in your columns.

Yours faithfully,

G. C. Reeves, Lt.-Col.

The Editor,
The Napanee Beaver,
Napanee, Ontario.

RE ASSELSTINE NAME

11 Jan. 1956 74 Ellis Ave., W.,
Windsor, Ontario,
December 28, 1955.

The Napanee Beaver,
Napanee, Ont.

Gentlemen: As a Beaver reader I noted in the December 21 edition a "Flashback" comment on the "Asselstine" name. The use of the word Van and Von in connection with our name is confusing; as Von is German and Van is always used in the earliest records of our name in North America. The Documentary Records of New York State recordings and all other earliest records use the "Van" prefix until about 1700, when "Van" was dropped in writing the name. The present generations in the Netherlands of the name, write it with the prefix "van"—with a small letter "v".

The Van Y jsselsteyns came to North

America with the Dutch West India Company, organized in the Netherlands about 1620 for commerce and colonization of the Americas, and the company were founders of New Amsterdam, now New York City.

It is true that the Y jsselsteyns of the 1600 era came to America from the Barony of Y jsselsteyn, Utrecht Province and Leyden, Netherlands, and are early recorded in the New York State Dutch Settlement records, in no official records (or anywhere that I can find) in the U.S.A. or Netherlands is the name recorded as Von Ysselsteyn; always the prefix is "Van".

I think Miss Laura Esselstine, of Los Angeles, Calif., and myself have done most of the research on the name and study over a period of 16 years. My book "A Pioneer Family" has entered in "Canadianna" (our national library of Canadian publications) issue of March 1955, page number 183, and my book is in the New York State Library, the Genealogical and Biographical Society of N.Y., the Library of Congress (U.S.A.), and many Ontario libraries, including Queen's University, Toronto University and Toronto Reference Library, and our local library and many Asselstines have copies.

All Canadians of the name are U.E.L. descendants of John and Peter Esselstine demobilized from the Loyal Rangers and Col. Jessop's Corps, December 24, 1783, and granted land allotted to soldiers, 500 acres each, near Bath, Ont. Some of their children (U.S.A. born) received land grants as children of Loyalists. The land grant records created the "A" spelling of the name, as "Yj" or "Tj" in Dutch sounds like the English letter "A".

In spite of the "A" spelling of our name the Netherlands at the Hague and Amsterdam recognize it as of Dutch origin.

"Von" may have been used during the Hapsburg reign of Holland. The name Van Y jsselstine is the oldest of the Netherlands.

Unless one is interested in historical material this may not be too interesting. Aside from "Von" your material is accepted. In my book, which traces the family from 1649 to 1949, and was published in 1953, there are quotations from The Napanee Beaver.

Kindest regards and best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year and thanks anyhow for the write-up even if "Von" was attached, seemingly mistakenly. The Moscow earlier settler, Benjamin referred to in it was a brother of my grandfather.

Kathryn Asselstine.

Institute reported by Principal C. S. Froud, show that the average daily attendance in 1955 was 610.78 pupils, compared to 567.28 pupils in 1954.

Enrolment in the lower grades, nine and 10, has increased by 22 over 1954 and the number of pupils coming in from other districts remains almost exactly the same.

Average attendance in December was 623.91 per day and the percentage was 90.03. Total enrolment at present is 692.

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A. AND P. STORE CLOSED FOR ABOUT ANOTHER 10 DAYS

R. W. Walton, district supervisor of the A. and P. stores, said here last week, that it would be 10 to 15 days before the firm's Napanee store would be able to re-open following a fire in the building on Monday, January 2.

Believed to have started from an overheated furnace, the fire was quickly subdued by firemen but smoke and water caused almost a complete loss of stock. Mr. Walton said that some merchandise, such as canned goods, survived the intense heat but most of the stock was a loss. All of it would be out Wednesday night, he said, with salvage crews working around the clock.

In addition to removing the merchandise, crews are taking out shelving, counters and other fixtures, all of which will be replaced. Store manager is Harry A. Taylor.

Adjoining premises, Wellers' Florist and the Napanee Hotel, received some smoke and water damage. All are located in a building owned by A. S. Kimmerly, who left a day or two before the fire to holiday in Florida.

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Assessment Appeal Of L. V. Shaw May Turn Into Boundary Dispute

An assesment appeal brought by L. V. Shaw before Judge G. F. Smith has had the decision on it reserved until it is ascertained whether or not the case should be heard as a boundary line dispute.

The Shaw house is on or near the boundary line between the Town of Napanee and Richmond Township. For years the Shaw property has been assessed and taxed in Richmond but when a new boundary line survey was made by Napanee in connection with development projects in the vicinity, it was found

tions and wish you every success during the year.



A. S. WARTMAN
Mayor

During 1955 preliminary steps were taken to improve the Town's water supply. I feel that this project should receive top priority this year, and that every effort should be made to assist the Napanee River Conservation Authority, toward receiving the financial aid required, from the Ontario Department of Planning and Development, in order that the proposed dam at Second Depot Lake will be constructed. This would ensure

GENEOLOGY

Original Settlers in America viz:—Jan Willemzen Van Ysselsteyn, and Marten Cornellissen Van Ysselsteyn.

1st GENERATION BORN IN AMERICA

Jan Willemzen Van Ysselsteyn and Wife Willemyte:—their children:—

Gertruyd	baptised	5 - 22 - 1650
Machtelt	"	7 - 18 - 1655
Willem	"	2 - 20 - 1658
Jacomytie	"	11 - 30 - 1661
Marie	"	11 - 12 - 1664
Cornelis	"	6 - 24 - 1669
Cornelia	"	.. - - 1668

Gertruyd married 1st - Jacobus Bruyn, 2nd - Severn Tenhout.		
Gertruyd's children: Jan Bruyn, baptised 10-8-1689 and others.		
Matchelt married Jan Smeed, their children:—		
Josua	baptised	2 - 13 - 1687
Willem	"	8 - 31 - 1684
Gertruyd	"	11 - 26 - 1682
Jacob	"	
Jannetie	"	

Marten Cornellissen Van Ysselsteyn and Mayeke: their children:—

Fannerie (or Janetje born about 1657—married Hendrick C. Bogard.

Cornelis Martense born about 1659—married Cornelia Van Vrendenburg.

Teuntie (Jaeren) born about 1664—married Livinius Winne.

Gertruy born about 1667—married Jacobus De Lamater.

Marytie born about 1669—married Joris Middagh.

Cornelia born about 1675—married Jan Post.

Jacob born about 1677—married Cathalynta Vandusen.

2nd GENERATION

Cornelius Martense and Wife Cornelia (Van Vrendenburg) Van Ysselsteyn, children as follows:

William	baptised about	1693—married Fertie —?—
David	"	10 - 23 - 1705—died, unmarried.
Jacobus	"	11 - 6 - 1698—married Magdalena Broadhead—5 - 18 - 1724
Isaac	"	1 - 1 - 1696—married Rachel Bogaert —11 - 26 - 1725.
Baata	"	8 - 7 - 1687—married Isaac Van Dusen—12 - 3 - 1706.
Tobias	"	8 - 3 - 1690—
Abraham	"	1 - 8 - 1704—
Gabriel	"	
Johannes	"	5 - 26 - 1701—married Marie Vrendenburg—5 - 4 - 1736.

NOTE: Tobias, Abraham and Gabriel are not listed in Will of Cornelius Martense. They are frequently listed as sons in other records.

2nd Son: Jacob: married Cataynta Vandusen 12 - 5 - 1699. children as follows:



Marten baptised 8-11-1700
Bata " 12-26-1705
Helena " 3-26-1713
Matthias " 10-26-1715
Martje " 7-2-1718
Isaac ?

—this last son's name is sometimes listed, but no record found of baptism.

3rd GENERATION

Matthias son of above Jacob, had 4 sons: viz: Robert, Matthias, Samuel and Jacob.

Bata, daughter of above Jacob, married Alexander Thompson.

(Robert, son of Matthias Sr., married Hannah Loof (burrow).

(Matthias, son of Matthias Sr. married Ann Wilson.

(Samuel, son of Matthias Sr. married Martha Neville.

(Jacob, son of Matthias Sr. married Phoebe Cawood.

Miscellaneous New Jersey records.

Catharine Iselstine of Perth Amboy, New Jersey, married James Wilson 1750.

Mary Iselstine of Perth Amboy of New Jersey married Lawrence Wessel 1747.

Deborah Iselstine of Perth Amboy, New Jersey, married William Fundraw 1752.

Many more names of Van Ysselsteins of 3rd generations and succeeding, are listed in various Church records, but space makes it wise to skip to those of the Canadian progenitors viz:—

4th GENERATION

Isaac Esselstyne, and wife Elizabeth (Kelder). Children of these parents are:

U2-1 Petrus baptised 9-25-1741—married (Anna Head — 1st (a question) (Christine Davy—2nd.)

Conradt baptised 8-25-1743—married Marie.
Altje (Alidia) " 7-7-1745 — married Heinrich Propper.

U2-4 Hannes (Johannes) baptised 1-31-1748 — married 1st Catharina, 2nd Marie Langlois, 3rd Susannah. No children of 3rd wife.

Martie baptised 5-27-1750—

Abraham " 1-28-1752 — married Anna Marie Simmons.

Jannitje baptised 10-25-1755—

Agnitge " 9-22-1760—

Andries " ? date—married Elizabeth Stalker in 1783 at Clavaraek, N.Y.

5th GENERATION

Altje (Alidia) married Heinrich Propper—their children viz: Elizabeth baptised 3-4-1764—Clavaraek Dutch Re-form Church. Sponsors: Isaac Esselstyne and wife Elizabeth Esselstyne.

Pieter baptised 6-5-1768. Sponsors, Petrus Esselstyne and Anna.



Jannetje baptised 4-17-1771
Isaac " 7-18-1772. Sponsors, Abraham Es-
selstyne and wife Marie.

(Altje and Alidia in English is Adelia or Adeline).

Abraham Esselstyne and Anna Marie Simmons, their chil-
dren viz:

Elizabeth baptised	5- 8-1775)
Alburtus "	6-12-1782)
Susanna "	9-23-1777) Churchtown, N.Y. Records.
Janetjje "	2- 9-1784) Columbia County.
Girtje "	8- 8-1786)

Conradt Esselstyne and wife's maiden name unknown,—
children viz:

Isaac, John, Henry, Peter, Andrew, Jane, Lydia. Born chiefly
in Vermont, U.S.A. (Mrs. Inez Johnson's records).

Andrew Esselstyne and wife Elizabeth Stalker married April
1783 at Clavareck, N.Y. Children:

Anna—baptised	1- 9-1785—
Martje— "	11-11-1787—
Isaac— "	11-13-1791—

(Baptisms in Hillsdale, N.Y., Dutch Reform Church).

1 Petrus Esselstyne U.E.L. and Anna Head (1st son Heinrich
9 - 14 - 1771. St. Thomas Lutheran Church baptism, N.Y.).

2 Petrus Esselstyne, and Christina Davy: children viz:—

3 Isaac, Elizabeth, Peter John, George, Catharine, Michael.

* Dutch Reform Church Kinderhook, N.Y. Marriage: "Petrus
Esselstyne of Manor Livingston April 2, 1771 and Anna
Head, born in Dover.

Johannes Esselstyne U.E.L. and wife Catharina; their chil-
dren, viz:—

(Isaac baptised April 1st, 1777; Hillsdale, N.Y. Dutch
Reform Church.

(Abraham baptised July 13th, 1771, Hillsdale, N.Y., also.
Jacob ? only a verbal story regarding a Jacob exists.

(Born between Abraham and Isaac).
Johannes and 2nd wife, Marie Langlois.

Peter, Elizabeth, Andrew, Jane, Christina, Marah.

(3rd wife: Susannah, no children; believed to be widow of
Amos Martin).

6th GENERATION

Isaac Asselstine and Hannah (Davey) son of Peter Senior
U.E.L. Children viz:—

William, Henry, Jane, John Davis, Lewis—

Land petition in Ontario for Isaac (son of Peter) is dated
July 17, 1789, asked for full allowance 200 acres—there-
fore, he was 21 years old then.

4 Peter Asselstine, son of Peter Senior, and wife Susannah
Ball, married Jan. 1st, 1809. Children viz:—

Abraham, Nicholas, Peter, Justice, Jane.

5 John Asselstine (son of Peter Sr.) wife Mary Amey: Children
Margaret, Sarah, Levi, Elizabeth, Nicholas, Emily, Billings,
Jane.

Levi, Elizabeth and Nicholas died in infancy.

Miss Laura Esselstine of Los Angeles, California, is a descend-
ant of Billings Asselstine.



Michael Asselstine (son of Peter Sr.) wife Nancy Fraser their children:

Nancy born 1820; Isaac; Sara born 1824.
2nd and 3rd Generation of Peter Asselstine Sr. (U.E.L.)
Henry Asselstine and Sarah (Schmidt) children viz:—
William Lewis, born 5-15-1824; Benjamin Rachel; Isaac;
Richard born 8-7-1833; Mary Jane; Henry; Leonard; Peter
10-10-1842; John 1844; Simon 3-18-1846.

John Davis Asselstine, 1st wife Martha Chatterson, 2nd wife
Esther Foster, children viz:—

Electra Jane; Agnes; Hannah; Mary; Catharine; John
Wesley; Martha; Almeda; 1st wife's children.
2nd wife's children: James D.; Jessie; Francis; Florence;
Herbert; Nancy; Isaac Newton; George W.

Abraham Asselstine and Lucinda (Walker) children viz:—
Kilbourne; Tillison, Guy; May.

Isaac Asselstine and Minerva (Parrott) children viz:—

Michael; Henry; Johnathan; Eleanor.
(Michael Asselstine developed the Asselstine Woolen Mills,
Odessa, Ontario).

Nicholas Asselstine and Imanthy Ann Hunter, children, viz:—
Damen, Justice, Alfred, Rylmanson; John, Hannah;
Emma; Cassie; Ida; Henrietta.

Benjamin Asselstine married twice—Alysworth—sisters.
Children:—

David; Henry; Nancy; Hannah; Margaret; Georginnia;
Frances; David Perry; Marica; Hannah; Robert; Mary;
Helen.

This ends records of Descendants of Peter Asselstine
(Senior), U.E.L. in this Manuscript.

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN ASSELSTINE, Senior, U.E.L.

6th GENERATION

Born in America

Peter Jr. Asselstine (son of John Senior) married Barbara
Carr; Aug. 27th, 1809.

Children viz:—

Peter, William, John, Daniel, 4 daughters.
(John Aselstyne of London, Ontario, is a descendant
of Daniel).

Andrew: (son of John Sr.) It is not known if he married.

Abraham: (son of John Sr.) married but his family and wife
unknown.

Isaac Asselstine (son of John Sr.) married Mary Barbara
Fraley.

Their children:

Jacob	—	baptised 4-21-1805—	married Hannah Benn
Katy	—	" 11- 7-1809—	" Florenz Benn
Nicholas	—	" 8- 6-1807—	" (twice)
Benjamin	—	" 3-23-1812—	" Charlotte Huff-
			man
Cyril	—	" — — —	" Alice Clarke
Anne	—	" — — —	" John Anderson
William C.	—	born—Jan. 8, 1820—	" Catharine Moore
Elizabeth	—	died at the age of 7 — Nov. 26, 1830.	



7th GENERATION

Jacob Asselstine (son of Isaac and Mary B.) married Hannah Benn.

Children: Ira, George, John, Isaac, Melissa, Hulda, Margaret, Elizabeth, Mary.

Nicholas Asselstine (son of Isaac and Mary B.) 1st wife Barbara Sicker

1 son Jacob

2nd wife of Nicholas, Margaret Empey—their children:—

Samuel, John, Sarah, Elizabeth, Emma.

(Samuel married: Almira Huffman—2 sons, Tillison, Isaac).

Benjamin Asselstine married Charlotte Huffman: children: Cyrus, Coleman, Wesley, Nicholas, Agnes, Olivia, Charlotte, Effie.

NOTE: (Agnes—married Ephriam Sweet.

(Olivia—married George Lampkin; children: Roy,

Ruth.

(Effie—Married Everett VanLuven; children—Harry.

Cyril Asselstine married Alice Clark (and a 2nd wife) children:

Matthew, Nicholas, Jane, Cynthia, Adelaide.

{ Nicholas, son of Cyril, taught school in Ernestown 40 years and his sons Claude, Oliver and Blake are teachers in High School of Ontario and Alberta, and Bert, an M.D., practiced in Vancouver, B.C. 4 Queen's University graduates and Robert on the old farm).

Ann Asselstine, married John Anderson: — 1 son, Luman (Luman Anderson's family—John and Frank, Annie, Ida, Charles, Elsie.

John and Frank are Queen's University graduates; Frank, M.D. in Ottawa, Ontario).

William C. Asselstine and Catharine Moore: children viz:— (Married June 4th, 1845)

Oscar, born Dec. 10, 1846 — married Marian Lochhead. Adelia—married Cyrus Asselstine.

Whitney, born Aug. 3rd, 1852—married Matilda Martin.

Ephie, born — —married 1st John Clark, 2nd Richard Hilbert.

Ordacia—married James Weese.

William H., born Dec. 1860—married Amelia Dennison.

(Adelia Asselstine was a teacher in late 1800; about 1865 in schools of Ontario and Montana State; Catharine (Moore) died 12-4-1876; William C. died 3-10-1909. 1st daughter Mary Barbara died Jan. 26th, 1860—age 10 years, 5 months).

8th GENERATION

Whitney Asselstine and wife Matilda Martin: children viz:—

Eliza, Kate, May, Luella, Marguerite, Ephie, Adah William (dec.) Anita.

William H. Asselstine, married Amelia Dennison—children viz:—

Harold, Wilbert, Ross. Orris, Ivan, Alena, Laura.



Oscar Asselstine and wife Marion Lochhead; married March 24, 1870; children viz:—
Idalette — married Wesley McLaughlin (dec.)
Janette (Janet) — married Edward Nugent.
Kathryn — Unmarried.
Herbert (dec.) — married M. Wilkes.
William Oscar — married Rosmond Wartman.
Robert Whitney — married Cora Reid
Stanley M. — married Ilda Smallridge.
Oscar died April 10, 1942 — Marion Lochhead, born Aug. 7th, 1846. Died Feb. 6, 1923.

9th GENERATION

Herbert Asselstine — 2 sons, 4 daughters.
William O. Asselstine — 1 son Bertram; 2 daughters.
(Bert has 4 sons, 2 daughters)
Robert Asselstine — 2 sons Aubrey, John — 2 daughters.
Idalette (McLaughlin) (1 son, Franklin McLaughlin. 1 daughter Marion).
Janette (Nugent) 1 daughter: Bernice Nugent.
Bernice Nugent, teacher at Stanford Collegiate, Niagara Falls, Ontario.
John (son of Robert Asselstine and Cora (Reid) is an Automotive Engineer, with Ford Motor laboratories, Dearborn, Mich.
Stanley Asselstine M.D. and Ilda Smallridge:
1 son: William Harold Stanley, born March 31st, 1920.

10th GENERATION

Aubrey Asselstine and Iva McGregor: three daughters —
Joan, Judith and Jane.

John William Asselstine and Mary O'Neil — 1 son — Robert John; born Nov. 2, 1949.

William Harold Asselstine M.D. married Dixie Jean Andrews.
Their children: viz:

William Harold Stanley, born July 12, 1945.
Robert Warren, born May 12, 1947.
John Peter, born July 31, 1948.
Elizabeth Andrews, Susan Barbara, Mary Frances.

NOTE: Beginning with the 7th generation and to the 10th, are descendants of Isaac Asselstine and Mary Barbara (Fraley) only.

William C. Asselstine died March 10th, 1909.

Catharine (his wife) died Dec. 4th, 1878; age 53 yrs., 1 mo. 9 days.

Mary Barbara (his 1st daughter) died age 10 yrs., 1860.

They are buried in a "family cemetery" set aside on William C. Asselstine's old farm, and deeded to his grandsons.

Mary Barbara was 1st in the cemetery, Jan. 26th, 1860, 10 years, 5 mos. 7 days.

Oscar Asselstine and wife Marion are buried there. A hillside enclosure, in a secluded spot. Graves well marked.



A PIONEER FAMILY

1649-1949

By Kathryn Asselstine



This booklet was Xeroxed from
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To My Daughter
Jean Elizabeth
Christmas 1955

with the hope that
she and hers will enjoy
the story if
her forbears.

Robert Whitney Russell



PREFACE

This volume is a collection of baptismal records from various relatives I've known, and compiled genealogy from reliable source, together with history related to their time.

From the Dutch Reform Church Records, N.Y., vol. I and vol. II I have secured records I could identify from a careful study of "family links" also from the collection of Church baptisms of the Genealogical and Biographical Society, New York, taken from Early Church Records and family source, (Bibles, etc.) and the New Jersey Archive Publications, New Jersey Historical Society and "family records" published.

The History of New York State Dutch Settlement and other areas of New York State, I've compiled chiefly from reading in the Burton library from "The Burton Historical Collection" and other source.

The Early Canadian History from Dominion of Canada Archives, histories of Canadian Settlement; Ontario Province chiefly, and the Ontario Historical Society Publications.

There are unpublished some early Church records of Dutch Reform Church and Lutheran Church, N.Y. State, awaiting translation and interpretation, I'm told.

*I am indebted to John Asselsteyn, of London, Ont., for a copy of "Ysselstein Castle", which he obtained from Everett Esselsteyn, Jr., of Clavarack, N.Y. In the Village of Ysselstein, Netherlands, (Ijsselstein), the Tower Section stands, also the Twelfth Century Eiteren Abbey and Eleventh Century "City Hall". The Burgomaster acted as my guide through these ancient buildings in 1953.

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*Also indebted to Miss Laura Eselstine of Los Angeles, Calif., for copies of some unpublished baptisms.

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VAN YSSELSTEYN COAT OF ARMS

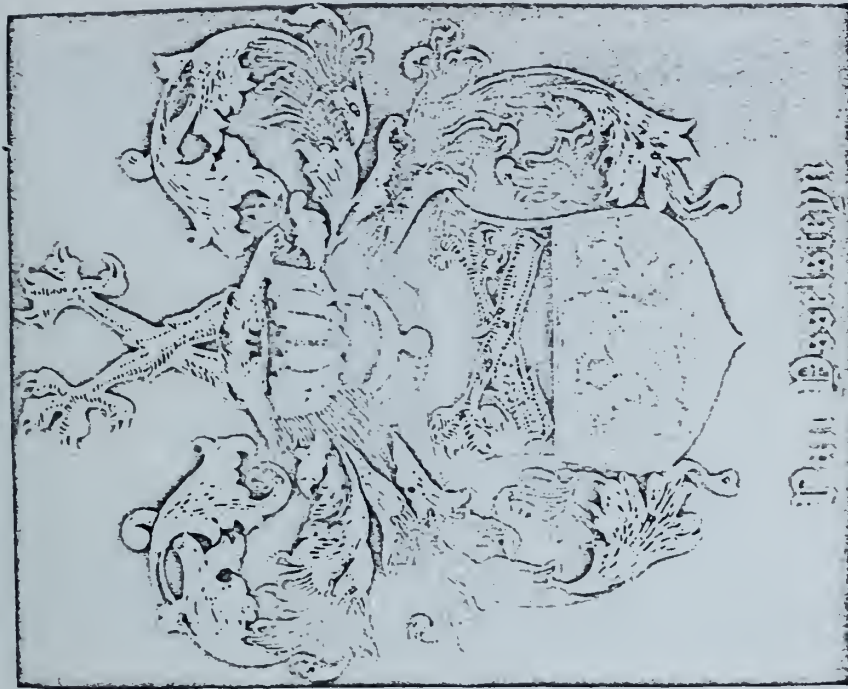
The Van Ysselsteyn Coat of Arms is depicted in the book titled "The Ancestry of Leander Howard Crall," page 28.

A maternal ancestor of Mr. Crall was a descendant of Marten Cornelise Van Ysselsteyn of Schenectady, and old Albany, New York, it states.

The same coat of arms is recorded in The Journal of American History, Vol. VII page 84, regarding the Hardenberg family who also record a maternal ancestor as a descendant of Marten Cornelise Van Ysselsteyn of Schenectady and old Albany, New York.

From the book The Ancestry of Leander Howard Crall recorded there is information regarding the source of the Van Ysselsteyn Coat of Arms as recorded in America.

"A Mr. A. H. Kiehl of The Hague, Netherlands, was asked to obtain information of the early name in Holland; he in turn sought the aid of Mr. Vorsterman Van Oyen, of Ryswyk, Netherlands; in his search he found a documented parchment recording the Van Ysselsteyn Coat of Arms, of the Ancient Chivalric family of Ysselsteyn Netherlands."





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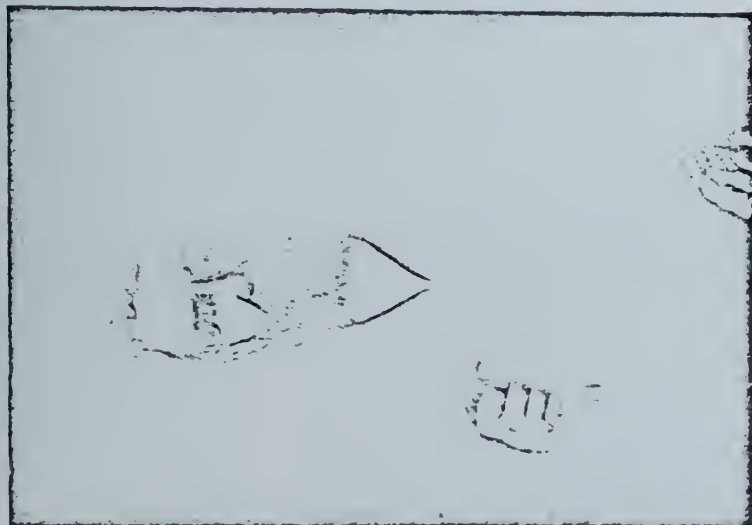
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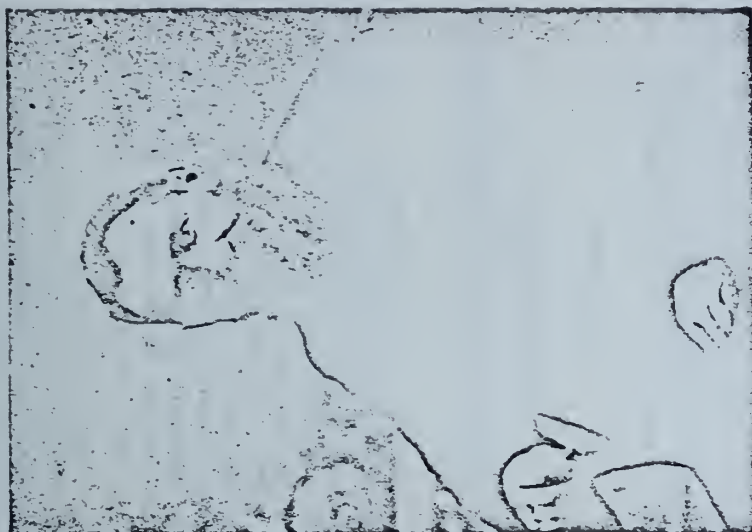
The home of William C. Asselstine, built about 1853, was spacious; built for a large family and hospitality. Many weary travellers from the North part of the County in horse and buggy days, in emergency, found lodging and rest for man and beast. It contained three fireplaces, a large kitchen for their culinary needs located at the left end of building, a spacious dining room in the centre to the left of a large entrance hall. The right side of the entrance hall provided entrance to the living room (the parlor of those days). The combined upstairs and downstairs contained ten bedrooms, some of lesser space than those of today. Built almost on corner of townships Camden and Richmond in Lennox and Addington County, at the foot of what is called Asselstine Hill, it was destroyed by fire some few years ago. As a pal of my grandfather the writer spent many happy childhood days there.







WILLIAM C. ASSELSTINE
Fifth son of Isaac Asselstine and Mary Barbara,
was born January 8th, 1820, died March 10th, 1909.



CYRIL J. ASSELSTINE
Fourth son of Isaac Asselstine and wife Mary Barbara
was born January, 1818, died 1894.



DUTCH COLONY OF NEW YORK

The Ysselsteyns came to America under the Dutch West India Co. organized in Holland about 1620 for commerce and to colonize America. The Company successfully established a colony on Manhattan Island and along the Hudson River to the junctions of the Mohawk River.

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In 1660 the Dutch Colony numbered 10,000. The English did not recognize the Dutch Claim to this area as they claimed all area from the St. Lawrence River to Virginia after the early war with Holland. The N. Y. Dutch did not fight the English claim because Holland was too exhausted from the earlier wars and troubles at home. The Dutch Governor, Peter Sturdesvant, asked for aid from his homeland, but Holland thought New York's chief value was lumber which they decided could be imported more cheaply from Germany than from the American Colony. Thus England peacefully took over the Dutch Colony.

VAN YSSELSTEYN, ESSELSTEYN, ISSELSTEYN

The Name

According to Genealogical and Biographical Records of N.Y. the nobility of Holland take their surname from a village or tract of land owned by them, or their ancestors. Translated from a rare work printed at Dordrecht, Holland, in 1640 is a list of names of Dutch nobility and included in the list is that of Van Ysselsteyn.

In old Dutch, "a steyn" was a castle, or large house. The Van Ysselsteyn Castle was located on the Yjssel River (now spelled Ijssel River). A town grew up about the Castle, hence



the small town of Ysselsteyn, Holland. The history of the castle links the name with feudal days.

THE VAN YSSELSTEYNS from Chapter xviii of "the Ancestry of Leander Howard Crall" is a quote from the document brought to America by Count Zinzendorf, head of the Moravian Society, and presented to Isaac Ysselsteyn, a Bethlehem, Pa., pioneer. Isaac had shown much kindness to the Moravian refugees in America.

"According to the Vienna table of Noble Families the European family of Ysselsteyn is a very old Dutch family originating in the Netherlands. Various branches spread into other countries.

In the time of King Clovis, or about 500 A.D., the progenitor of the line desired and obtained the grant of a tract then styled Ysselstein (or Insel-Stein, which signifies "Island Rock"), a solitary and secluded rocky isle rising out of the midst of an extensive region of water and morass. He chose this unlikely spot on account of the natural protection which it afforded from the ravages of the Franks. Here he built for himself and his numerous dependants a castle and dwelling houses, surrounding all with bastions and moats and henceforth was known as Veltin Van Ysselstein. Having taken as a prisoner Chlotilda, a noble Frank, in one of his numerous collisions with her people, he espoused her as his wife. A white sea gull constituted the crest and coat of armor of Veltin Van Ysselstein and right to bear these arms was acknowledged and confirmed to his descendants by the German Emperor Conrad I, and subsequently by Emperor Albrecht of the House of Hapsburg.

Cornelius Van Ysselsteyn of Ysselsteyn and the City of Gouda, Holland, had these arms confirmed to him A.D. 1312 and was recognized as the head of his family. The marshlands of Ysselsteyn had by his ancestors long before been redeemed with sluices, dams, and dykes, which resulted in

filling in and transforming the waste into fertile and cultivated region and over this inviting district Hon. Cornelius Van Ysselsteyn presided as Judge as well as proprietary lord of the soil. He died 1352, possessed of extensive landed estates and great wealth. His wife was Lucia Van der Decken, by whom he had four sons who survived him: Jolin, Balthazar, Isaac and Bartholomew. Of these, the second and third, Balthazar and Isaac, followed the sea, passing out of the knowledge of the chronicler. It is a mere matter of speculation whether they died without issue or planted a posterity on foreign shores. The other brothers, Johannes and Bartholomew, became proprietors of large estates and wealthy merchants of the City of Gouda, Bartholomew dying without issue.

Johannes Van Ysselsteyn of Ysselstein and Gouda, Holland, eldest son of Hon. Cornelius Van Ysselsteyn, maintained the honor of his ancestral line with dignity until his death A.D. 1401. Two sons survived him: Eulagius and Hugo, who became the respective heads of two branches of the family. Hugo Van Ysselsteyn, the younger, was a merchant at Gouda until 1415, when the German Emperor Sigismund invited him to Prague to manage the finances and develop the resources of the Kingdom of Bohemia. He married at Prague Silvia Vester and resided there until his death in 1444. His descendants spread through Bohemia, Silesia and Saxony.

Eulagius Van Ysselsteyn, of Ysselstein and Gouda, Holland, eldest son of Johannes, is the ancestor of various branches of this family in the Netherlands. He married Hannah Sleiders of E. Friesland. Among their descendants were Albrecht Van Ysselsteyn, Wilhelm Van Ysselsteyn, Daniel Van Ysselsteyn and Casper Van Ysselsteyn, all of whom were living in 1700, some at Gouda and others in Dordrecht."

The Van Ysselsteyn Coat of Arms was issued during the Hapsburg reign in Holland. The "Arms" in color is depicted



in the book "Ancestry of Leander Howard Crall" although there is no record of it belonging to the Ysselsteyn Branch in that intermarriage. No doubt it concerned all Esselsteyns in that period in which it was issued in Holland. It follows the usual pattern of Heraldry (wreath supporters, armour, and shield). The Shield, the most important part, depicts the Crest of the family, which is a combined one, viz: the Eagle Claws and the Rampant Lion. The upper half of the Shield is the Eagle Claws, and the lower half the Lion—in blood red, on a gold background, and black claws are on a pale lemon background; the armour is red and gold. The two crests divided in the Shield may indicate an intermarriage of two families of nobility. The Eagle Claws usually mean "Combat" and the Lion, "Courage". A Coat of Arms was granted to land holders, who held the responsibility thereof.

The spelling of the name beginning in Y., I. or E. does not change its sound, nor does dropping one S. in the first part; but does cause the loss of the "Dutch flavour" due to their old habit of using double consonants. Some have dropped the "S" from Steyn, due to the slurred pronunciation of the name thus causing the name to lose the word meaning of "Steyn". Frequently "Steyn" is pronounced and written as "Stun" and "Ston" in the New York name records.

The "A" spelling of the name appears to begin in Canada Land Grant Records. The Dutch pronunciation of "Ij" and "Yj" Yjsselstein, has the sound of A (of old Dutch spelling of name).

JAN WILLEM VAN YSSELSTEYN:—Is the first of the name recorded in America. He was an employee of the Dutch West India Company. On August 19th, 1649, he gave his father, William Ponsen Van Ysselsteyn, power of Attorney to collect his pay at Amsterdam; also made a declaration regarding his wages while at Curacao August 15, 1649. In New York records, he is sometimes referred to as "Jan Van Ley-

den" but chiefly as Jan Willem (or Willemzen) Van Ysselsteyn—Leyden University was then merely an early school and it was quite the habit to refer to any young man who had been to the Leyden School as "Van Leyden". The name Jan Willem Esselstein appears on the Muster roll of an old Bruchwyck record of officers and soldiers in 1668; also a reference is made of a law suit with Anneken Bogardus who, according to N.Y. records, is related to the Early House of Orange. His name is entered third on a list of the village of Bruchwyck, a petition for certain town privileges for the place, 2, 19, 1660.. Bruchwyck is now a part of Greater New York City, and was so named by the Dutch, as it was a much wooded area.

An entry in New York records reads, "Jan Willemsen Van Iselsteyn, commonly called Jan of Leyden, was sentenced for abusing the magistrate and writing insolent letters to the magistrate, sentenced "to be fastened to a stake with a bridel in his mouth and a paper on his breast bearing the inscription, "Lampoon writer, false accuser, and defamer of the magistrates", and then be banished with cost. This sentence was never carried out, as Jan's name appeared on the assessment list of Bruchwyck in 1708 dealing with improved land. He seems to have appeared in court aiding his fellow country men when in difficulty, thus facing the stern, hard judges of those early days. Another record made on August 5, 1656, "Jan Williamsen Van Leyden's boat was employed in the honourable company's service."

Jan's wife's first name was Willempje. Their children's baptismal records are in Vol. I and II of compiled baptisms of New York "Dutch Reform Churches", and are as follows:—

Gertruyd	baptised	5—22—1649—1st married
		Jacobus Bruyn
		2nd married
		Severn TenHout
Matchelt	"	..... 7—18—1655—married Jan Smeede



Willem	"	.....	2-20-1658-
Jacomynitie	"	.....	11-30-1661-
Marie	"	.....	11-12-1664-
Cornelia	"	.....	-1668-
Cornelis	"	.....	6-24-1669-

A record regarding the Bruyn* family states: "Jacobus Bruyn's wife was a daughter of Jan Willemse Esselstyn; she received a large land grant in Shawangunk, near Kingston, N.Y. A point of land there is still known as Gertrude's nose. A crude portrait of her hangs in the home of Augustus Hasbrouck Bruyn, a woman of keen intellect and dignified bearing."

Some of the baptismal records of Gertrude's children, in Kingston, N.Y., old Dutch Reform Church records, are sponsored by her mother Willempte, others by brother William.¹ No further record of Jan or descendants found.

MARTEN CORNELISSE VAN YSSELSTEYN: The first record in America of Marten, is in the Dutch Settlement of Schenectady, N.Y. He is listed as one of fourteen founders and original proprietors of Schenectady, N.Y. How long he may have resided in New York State prior to this is not known, but he was in that area in 1660. On October 28th, 1660, a record shows that he made a sworn statement in regard to a fellow country man viz: that he knew him when a youth residing at Utrecht, Holland. In June, 1663, his name appears as a signature to a document written by Arent Van Curler to Governor Stuyvesant regarding land matters at Schenectady. Marten moved to Claverack, N.Y., in the Dutch Renssalleer Manor area, in 1668. (Claverack in Dutch means Cloverfield). On January 16, 1676, he made a joint will with his wife Maeycke. The will states Maeycke came from Zar-

* Bruyn in English is Brown.

revclt, Barneveld, Holland, and Marten from Ysselsteyn, Utrecht province, Holland. The will was probated June 19, 1699. His sons were Cornclisse Martense Van Ysselsteyn and Jacob; also five daughters.

Wether these men, Jan Willemzen and Marten Cornelisse, Van Ysselstein, originals in America, were closely related is not known, but no doubt they had a common ancestor, somewhere in Holland in the 1600's.

CORNELISSE MARTENSE VAN YSSELSTEYN, son of Marten Cornelisse Van Ysselsteyn, inherited most of his father's property including the Claverack home, now held by the 8th or 9th generation in continuous ownership.

He married Cornelia Van Vrendenberg, daughter of William Van Vrendenburg, on February 23rd, 1685. (name now Vandenburg).

Their children, five sons and one daughter, and possibly more sons, as some records confuse baptismal records of Cornelise Marten Van Alstyne also Cornelius Marten Van Buren families with Van Ysselsteyn (as the minister did not record the surname in some instances), however, the family recorded in his will are as follows: William baptised in 1693; Jacobus, 11, 6, 1698; Isaac, 1, 1, 1696; David, 10, 23, 1705; Johannes, 5, 26, 1701, and Beate, 6, 7 1687. Not mentioned in the Will but sometimes listed as his sons are these viz: Tobias baptised 8, 3, 1690; Abraham, 1, 8, 1704 and Gabriel?.... (Gabriel could be son of Jan Willemse Van Ysselsteyn).

JACOB VAN YSSELSTEYN, son of Marten Cornelisse, married Cathalynta Van Dusen on December 5, 1699. They resided at Kingston, N.Y., for a time and later moved to New York City. Jacob was a mason and a bricklayer. In 1711 he sold a house and lots on Williams St. corner of Maiden Lane, to Benjamin Bill and his wife Sarah. The baptismal records of some of their children are in the New York



Dutch Reform Church. About 1715, they moved to Perth Amboy, New Jersey. Records are scant in New Jersey, numerous brief recordings are found regarding the family. "John Harrison sold land to Jacob Isleston, 1717, also a reference to a boat owned by Hughes and Isleton, 1717; and Jacob's son, "Matthias Isleston, operated the first boat passenger service between Perth Amboy, N.J., and New York". "Isaac Iselstine kept an inn prior to 1765, which was bought by Elias Bland in 1765. An item found in the New Jersey Historical Society Magazine Vol. X is as follows: "Robert Izalton of Newark, N.J., imprisoned as a loyalist, 1778". The wills of Matthias and Jacob are recorded. (See Bibliography re: Jacob).

ISAAC, son of Cornelius Martin Van Ysselsteyn and Cornelia Van Vrendenburg, married Rachel Bogaert at Esopus, N.Y. and lived for a time at Marbleton, N.Y. Later he followed the rush for land at the Fork of the Delaware River in Pennsylvania, and is classed as a founder of Bethlehem, Pa. The book "Crown Inn of Bethlehem, Pa." pays tribute to this fact. He bought land at the Fork of the Delaware River in 1738 and 1739, a 10-acre island, a 178-acre tract, and later a 75-acre area. He named the island "Ysselsteyn". The property was the third largest plantation on the Delaware River.

Isaac died of smallpox July 26, 1742, and was buried on his farm. The city of Bethlehem, Pa., is built over his bones. Peter Boehler, leader of the Moravian Refugees, conducted the funeral services. Isaac and his family showed much kindness to this group and to Count Zinzendorf, who also spent some time in Isaac's home. The island, "Ysselsteyn", and other land was sold by Rachel, his widow in 1749.

Rachel, his widow, remarried to Abraham Boemper, Silversmith. She died 3, 1, 1769 — the family consisted of six daughters; Cornelia married Lewis Huebner, a potter (the

late Abraham Huebner M.D. a grandson); Eleanor married Abraham Andreas, a wheelwright; Beata married Anthony Smith, a tinsmith of Bethlehem, Pa.; Sarah? ..., if she married (no record) died 1785; Janette was baptised at Claverack, N.Y., April 5, 1728; and Rachel married Conrad Gerhardt of Philadelphia. (The late Benjamin Gerhardt; Mrs. Henry Dupont, also Dr. William W. Gerhardt M.D. were her grandchildren).

A descendant of Dr. Huebner is supposed to be in possession of the Count Zinzendorf manuscript regarding the European (Netherlands) origin of the Ysselsteyn name.

The Marten Cornelius Van Ysselsteyn Claverack, New York, farm of 1668 is still occupied by a direct descendant of Marten in continuous ownership. Dr. C. B. Esselsteyn is resident now.

The family cemetery on the farm is well cared for. Marten Cornelis and wife were buried on his farm and many later descendants are interred there.



REVOLUTIONARY WAR PERIOD

MAJOR RICHARD ESSELSTEYN and sons:—Major Richard, a grandson of Cornelius Marten and son of Jacob was born in 1731, and died in 1783. He was very active in public life of Columbia County, N.Y., and distinguished in Military Service of U.S.A. during the American Revolution.

Two of Major Richard's sons were Majors in the War of 1812 and two were pioneers of Cape Vincent, N.Y. The History of Jefferson County, N.Y., records much regarding the early activities of these men. The two majors in the War of 1812 were Jacob and John B. The two Cape Vincent pioneers were John B. and Richard Jr. They settled in Cape Vincent about 1801. They were in business together and for years were the only merchants in Cape Vincent. John's home and much of their stores were burned in 1812. In 1812 Major John was directed to assemble a body of Militia and 3 companies were under his command. On August 13, 1813, he was seized by the British and taken prisoner of war to Canada. Later he was exchanged for a British officer of equal rank. In 1826 John was Collector of Customs at Cape Vincent. (The Esselsteyn Architects of Detroit, Michigan, and of California, are descendants of the Cape Vincent settlers).

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES FOUND IN VARIOUS EARLY RECORDS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, N.Y. refer to Esselsteyns — On the building committee of the First Dutch Reform Church in Clavarack was Cornelius Marten Van Ysselsteyn; and three sons aiding — William, Jacob and Isaac. The Church was completed in 1727. Hillsdale originally a part of the area called Clavarack, N.Y., was separated officially March 26, 1781, but earlier a branch of the original Dutch Reform Church was organized there. Recorded in the Hillsdale Dutch Reform Church is the baptism of Isaac Esselsteyn (U.E.L. Settler of Ontario) a baptism viz: "Isak:—son of Johannes and Catharine Esselsteyn, April 1, 1777." Spon-

sors were Andries and Christina Cool and at an earlier date his brother Abraham was baptised there.

In 1786 when Clavarack, N.Y., was made County Seat of Columbia County; the first meeting of the Board of Supervisors was held at the home of Gabriel Esselsteyn. It is also noted that Gabriel Esselsteyn sent his slave girl to school in 1789. In Vol. I of Albany Committee Minutes was this resolution, "Gabriel Esselsteyn is a proper person on committee for disposal of Estates of disaffected persons." (Confiscated property of Loyalists).

The Dutch system of naming children is as follows:—the first son is named for Paternal grandfather; the first daughter is named for Maternal grandmother; the second son, for Maternal grandfather; the second daughter, for Paternal grandmother. Then followed the use of Uncles' and Aunts' given names. Occasionally the order was reversed and the first son was given the Maternal grandfather's first name and so on along the line.

ISAAC ESSELSTEIN, ESSELSTYNE, ISSELSTEIN, YSELSTEEN, and his wife ELIZABETH KELDAR. These names appear in the Baptismal records chiefly in Columbia County (in and about Clavarack, N.Y.). The first baptism occurs in the Old Loonenburg Zion Lutheran Church, Athens, N.Y. Columbia County History relates that the old residents used to paddle across the Hudson River to the old Lutheran Church at Athens, N.Y. (The Keldars were Lutheran and of "Paltine settler" origin in N.Y. state). Baptisms recorded at the old Loonenburg Zion Church are as follows: Petrus (a U.E.L.) 9, 25, 1741, son of Isaac Esselstein and Elizabeth; Sponsors: Petrus Cool and Lea Carmer. Conrad 8, 25, 1743, son of Isaac Esselstein and Elizabeth; and Altje 7, 7, 1743, daughter of Izaak Esselstein and Elizabeth. Hannes (Johannes U.E.L.) son of Isaac Esselstein and Elizabeth was baptised January 31, 1748 in the "Church of the Camp German Reform Church", Germantown, Columbia County, N.Y., and the sponsors were



Johannes *Collen and Martigen Collen. Marytie, daughter of Isaac Esselstein and Elizabeth Keldar, baptism at the Linlithgo Dutch Reform Church, Columbia County, N.Y., May 27, 1750. The Sponsors were Jury Thevolt and Catharina Keldar. Abraham, son of Isaac Esselstein and Elizabeth Esselstein, was baptised in the Linlithgo Dutch Reform Church, Columbia County, N.Y. January 28, 1752, whose sponsors were Peter Cool and Alidia Cool. Jannitje, daughter of Isaac Yselsteen and Elizabeth Yselsteen, was baptised at the Linlithgo Dutch Reform Church, Columbia County, N.Y., October 25, 1755. The baptism was sponsored by Johannes Keldar and Norma Keldar. Agnitge, daughter of Isaac Eiselstein and Elizabeth, was baptised at St. Thomas Lutheran Church, Churchtown, N.Y. Columbia County, Sept. 22, 1760. Her baptism was sponsored by Jacob Hochtclin and Agnitge Keldar. The Clavarack Dutch Reform Church records the baptisms of the following:—Elizabeth 3, 4, 1764, daughter of Heinrich Proper and Alidia Esselsteyne, and whose sponsors were Isaac Esselsteyne and wife Elizabeth Kelder. (Alidia was baptised as Altje and married Heinrich Proper). Andrew (Andries) a son of Isaac Esselsteyn and wife Elizabeth; his baptismal records could not be found, although plenty of information exists that he is a son of Isaac. He married Elizabeth Stalker at Clavarack, N.Y.

To date, positive identification of the parents of this Isaac has not been found and no further records of any early Ysselsteyns settlers other than the two originals who migrated early to America can be found. But, all records point to the fact that Isaac resided in the early and middle 1700's in and near Clavarack, N.Y., probably within a radius of 10 miles, including the Livingston Manor (North).

*Johannes Collen recorded, may mean Cole, as the Dutch sometimes add "en" to indicate "son of". Thus meaning here, "son of Cole."

John Esselstine, a U.E.L., son of Isaac, stated in his military records that he was born in "Livingston Parish, Albany County, N.Y." indicating that Isaac lived then, not far from Clavarack, N.Y. (Albany County of 1777 and earlier was a large tract of land, subdivided about 1787 into 4 or more Counties, of which present Albany County and Columbia County, were formerly a part).

The Canadian Esselstines are descendants of Isaac and his wife Elizabeth. Each son of Isaac named a daughter "Elizabeth" and each named a son "Isaac".

Abraham, Conrad, and Andrew Esselstyn, brothers, migrated at the close of the Revolutionary War, into the North Vermont and Lower Quebec area before the boundaries were fixed, between Quebec and Vermont. Vermont records elass Conrad as a pioneer Dutch Settler. Abraham was earlier located at Highgate, Vermont, but no further records of his family, and that of Andrew have been found. Mrs. Johnson, a descendant of Conrad, has written a geneology of Conrad's line and they have dropped the "S" in stine.

(Under the table of Dutch names Altje and Alidia mean Adeline or Adelia — per: "American Ancestry" Vol. D).

Inthe late 1700's or 1800's KELDER became written KELLAR.



YSSSELSTEIN CASTLE

By J. CRAANDYK

Translated from "EIGEN HAARD" — Illustrated Magazine
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and Joukheer de Vries Haarlem, H. K. Tjeenk Willink.
Translated from the original by Isa Heyligers with the
Collaboration of E. J. Esselsteijn Jr., Clavarak, N.Y.

Highlights copied here: "Trials to have the Castle saved by members of the Royal Family have been in vain, nor could the Minister of the Interior find grounds for the Government to buy it in 1874. Nor did any rich Compatriot come forward to preserve it, if only for the sake of its old construction and historical remembrances. The small town of Ysselstein owes its name and origin to the Castle.

The Castle's history is intermingled with that of the Counts of Holland, the Bishopric of Utrecht, and with the Duchy of Gelder. The house itself dates from the 15th Century, though often rebuilt. Its name and existence are mentioned as early as the first half of the 12th century. VanSlichterhorst tells that in the year 1144 a certain Heer Van Ysselstein left with his men to rescue Aert Van Grimberger and never returned. He must have been the Lord of the "Stein", the stone house on the Isle. The name is that of a house and not a signory as the small town and the barony did not exist until a long time after this. In 1122, Emperor Henry V confirmed bestowel of an Abbey, situated at the junctions of the Rhine, the Lek and the Yssel Rivers. During that Century a Church was founded around which a few houses were built and that is why Eitren lies in the neighborhood of Ysselstein. The principal of these houses was the stone house of a man of consideration, who named it Ysselstein. But long

before this in 1229 a Castle existed of that name for during that year, Gysbrecht Van Ysselstein said it had belonged to his parents, grand parents and great grand parents. Gysbrecht is the first of the name that appears in the Charter. His father was Arnold Van Amstal. "Arentbroer" in Vandel's tragedy was the brother of the well-known Gysbrecht. The mother of Arnold and Gysbrecht must have been Bertrade Heer Jan's hereditary daughter of Ysselstein. Probably her son Arnold got possession while at the same time he held properties in fiefment from the Bishops, on long lease. In the Charter and the lease he is called Van Amstel. He was defeated in 1279 and imprisoned by Count Flores the V and became a vassal of his own land. During Arnold's imprisonment, Count Flores gave the Castle to Gysbrecht, Arnold's son. After his father's death in 1291, he succeeded him as Heer Van Ysselstein and his younger brother inherited the Signory of Deuschop. Some reports indicate that Gysbrecht or his father Arnold built the Castle; this must be understood as rebuilt or reinforced, because his forefathers already owned a Castle there. It is possible that when foundations are dug out some remains of the 12th Century Castle will be found.

During the Flemish War, Gysbrecht was again in possession of the Castle (1301) having lost it for a time. He lived there quietly with his wife. His property and Estates became bigger and about 1327 he kept the hereditary fiefment of Holland. The rise of the town of Ysselstein dates from this. The old parish of Eiteren was rebuilt near the Castle. Four years after his father's death in 1348, Heer Arnold Van Ysselstein conferred the 1st written law rights. In 1338 and 1360 he assumed the title of Baron and added to the Estate, until it was called the "Barony of Ysselstein". The beautiful Church at Eiteren contains the tomb and statues of Arnold, his wife, and also of his father, Gysbrecht.

Heer Arnold had two daughters, one of whom married the powerful Dutch Nobleman, Johan Van Egmond. Later the



Castle became the possession of the Egmonds. Johan II was forced to give up the Castle by Duke William in 1416. Johan died next year and his brother William took the Castle back by force. More struggles ensued; finally Jonkheer Fredrik Van Egmond, Willem's son, beat the Utrecht factions who had pillaged the town of Ysselstein. In 1522 Jonkheer Fredrich was buried beside his wife in a beautiful tomb in the Church at Eiteren. The son and heir, Floris, multiplied the town privileges of Ysselstein. Maximilian, son of Floris, owned the estate eight years. In 1551, his daughter, Anna, heiress to her father, married the Prince of Orange. Ysselstein then belong to the future "Father of the Fatherland".

A house to which such historical remembrances are attached can be called a remarkable house. It is a picturesque building. A bridge over the moat, leads to a gate in the building. The first floor is entirely one large room with modern panelling. Alterations have been constantly made in and about throughout the years. The masonry of the Castle is remarkable in bands of white stone. The tower is a stately monster spoken of as "Unique" in our country. On the top floor, one finds a room with a heavy door "the prison". The cellar has crooked corridors and ends in a pit 4 meters and supposedly is the old communication to the Town Hall. Walls of the building are 30 meters thick. The gate, in the side wing of the gallery, rests on pillars dating from the 16th Century. Before the moat was filled in, a bridge existed. The Court Yard of the Castle was fascinating. The loss of the old Castle with its memories of Amstels, Ysselsteins, Egmonds and Orange, as well as its old Architecture is a sad loss to the country."

(I verified this at The Hague Archives, Netherlands).

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The Government in 1789 conferred to all Loyalists and their
descendants the right to affix the letters U.E.L. after their
name.



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PART II
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DUTCH SETTLERS IN CANADA U.E.L.

Canadian Records & History of Loyalists Pertaining To
Asselstine Settlers (Eselsline & Isselstine)

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SETTLERS OF FAMILY OF JOHN AND PETER SENIOR



LOYALISTS

In 1783 the British Parliament met, and the King in a speech from the throne said, due and generous attention ought to be shown to those who relinquished properties and possessions from motives of loyalty.

At a council meeting held at Quebec, November 9, 1789, Lord Dorehester said it was his wish to put a mark of honour upon the families who adhered to the unity of the Empire and who joined the Royal Standard before the treaty of separation in 1783. It was ordered that the Land Board keep a record of them to the end that their posterity may be distinguished from future settlers and from that time on they be known as "United Empire Loyalists". (From Lucas History of Canada, 1763 to 1812). The Land Board was in every ease to provide for not only sons as they come of age, but daughters of that age or on their marriage, assigning each a lot of 200 acres more or less, provided they comply with general regulations regarding improvements and cultivation. (Direct descendants of Loyalists had to be resident in Canada by July, 1797, to be eligible for land grants of 200 acres, from Russell papers).

William Canniff, in his History of Upper Canada, mentions that the Esselstine settlers came from County Orange (Albany, N.Y.). William Canniff's History states: "The great majority of Loyalist settlers were from N.Y. State and it was originally a Dutch Colony; it follows that many settlers were of Dutche extraction. A large number of unmistakable Dutche names exists among the Bay of Quinte Settlers. They possessed all the honesty and industry peculiar to their people".

"A proclamation made by the British viz: that all who wished to continue allegiance to Britain should peacefully rendez-vous at certain points along the frontier. The points designated for Ontario were, Sacketts Harbor, Oswego, Carle-

ton Island, Niagara and Isle la Noir" (the last a then fortified area at the Richelieu River mouth).

Page 131: The routes followed for Upper Canada lead from New York to Albany, where 10 miles north of Albany, the Hudson River divides, the west the Mohawk River, leading to Rome, N.Y., and the other branch, Canada Creek toward Lake Oneida, N.Y., and via the Oswego River to Oswego, on Lake Ontario. A second branch Canada Creek, (then called the Wood's Creek) leads to Lake Champlain. This last route was followed by wives and children of Jessup's Corp in Fall of 1783. They made their way through swamps and forests on foot to Whitehall, N.Y., and were met by Government boats on Lake Champlain and taken to the fort area. Later the government provided boats to take them up the Richelieu to Sorel, Montreal, and Cornwall. From there having been assigned to bateaux carrying approximately 20 passengers, they proceeded to their allotted destination up the St. Lawrence River. The British Government offered transportation to all Loyalists who wished to leave the United States and offered homes in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec and Ontario. Those to Nova Scotia and Maritimes came by boat from New York City port. (Pages 617, 622, 623 from Canniff's History).

"The Loyalists considered the rebels as traitors, and first tried ways and means to quell them." Later in the Revolution a semi-official organization was formed to stamp out Loyalism. The Test Law came in force in 1777 and thus loyalism became tantamount to treason. Each faction persecuted the other and disorder amounted to a Civil War in some areas." From Columbia County, N.Y. History.

In 1789 Claverack, Columbia County, N.Y., was part of a Dutche Manor, Rensselaerwyck, both it and part of the Dutche Manor Livingston were included in old Albany area



prior to 1790. The Dutch sometimes referred to it as Orange. Albany City was called Fort Orange.

Here in Columbia County a military list records Peter Esselsteyn as sergeant under Captain Hogeboom's Company; John, Abraham Esselsteyn, George Finkle, Thomas Kelder and Henrich Kelder: under Major Richard Esselsteyn's; County records also show: "Conradt Kelder 1720 resident in North part of Manor Livingston." This man is believed father of Elizabeth (Kelder) Esselsteyn; wife of Isaac Esselstein. Their second son was named Conrad, true to Dutch system of naming children.

ESSELSTINE (ASSELSTINE)

U.E.L. SETTLERS

The originals of the Asselstine family in Upper Canada were Peter and John Esselstine who served with the British as soldiers in the American Revolution from 1777 to 1783; The war fighting ended in 1781 and the Treaty of Peace was signed in 1783. They were demobilized from Major Jessup's Corp. The Jessup's Rangers were retained at Fort Isle la Noir (at junction of the Richelieu River and Lake Champlain) for a time to prevent border trouble.

The records all refer to their prior residents and point of enlistment as Albany County, N.Y. At that time and prior, Albany County was a huge tract of land, which was subdivided soon after the Revolution into 4 or more counties, of which present Albany County and Columbia County were primarily a part of that huge area called Albany. Columbia Co. included part of Manor Livingston and much of Manor Rensselaerwyck. Thus Clavaraek, N.Y. (Columbia County) was included in Manor Rensselaerwyck.

For service in British forces, John Sr. and Peter Sr. Esselstine received land grants allowed for soldiers viz:— Peter Sr. was granted in Upper Canada 300 acres of land. John Sr. was granted in Upper Canada 350 acres of land. The land was located in Ernestown near what is now Bath village. To each of their children born before 1789 a land grant of 200 acres; 100 acres could be granted prior to age 21, and full amount at 21; or in case of a daughter; the full amount at her marriage. Christina, wife of Peter Esselstine Sr. and her sister, Hannah, each received a land grant of 200 acres as daughters of the Loyalist, Peter Davey, who was an Ernestown settler; also at one time Bath, Ontario, was called "Davey land".

Peter Sr. (U.E.L.) son of Isaac Isselstein and Elizabeth, was baptised at the old Loonenburg Zion Church, Athens, N.Y., Sept. 25th, 1741. Peter Sr. and his wife, Christine Davy, had the following children (some born in N.Y. state and others in Ontario): Henry, Isaac, Peter, John, Michael, George, Elizabeth, Jane and Catharine. Peter's children viz: Isaac, Peter and John, received land grants.

John Sr. (Johannes and Hannes, U.E.L.) was baptised at the Reform Church of the Camp, Germantown, Columbia County, N.Y., January 31, 1748, whose parents are Isaac Isselstein and wife Elizabeth Kelder.

John and his first wife Catharina:—Sons were Abraham, baptised July 10, 1771. The Sponsors for Abraham's baptism were Abraham Esselstein and Margaret Weis. Isak (U.E.L.): baptised April 1, 1777, child of Johannes Esselstein and Catharina, sponsors for Isak were Andries Cool and wife Christina. These were recorded in the Dutch Reform Church, Hillsdale, N.Y., and is a branch of old Clavaraek Dutch Reform Church., which was built in 1727, also the town Hillsdale was earlier included in the area called Claverack and officially separated 3, 26, 1782.



John married his second wife, Marie Langlois, at Quebec, 3, 4, 1784. Their children: Peter, married Barbara Carr (daughter of Daniel Carr); Andrew, John, Elizabeth, Christina, Marah. Of these children land grants were given to the following: Peter, Elizabeth and John as well as two of his sons by his first marriage who are Abraham and Isaac.

Peter Sr. in his declaration of losses in U.S.A.; due to Revolutionary war stated he "enlisted in the Fall of 1777", that statement, and the fact Isak son of John was baptised April, 1777, together with the childhood story of Isaac's granddaughter, that, "Isaac's father fled because he would not fight the British" makes it seem likely that both men enlisted late in the year 1777. In U.S.A. the Test Law came in force in the Fall of that year which compelled everyone resident in th U.S.A. to abjure allegiance to the British Crown, and to swear allegiance to the state in which he resided. A record was kept of those who took the oath and a certificate given to each. Without the certificate, no man was safe. Those failing to take the oath were liable to imprisonment, confiscation of property, banishment and even death. (I think this is from Moses C. Tyler's book on the Loyalists in American Revolution). Columbia County, N.Y., History relates the hot times thereabout 1777. This would make it seem these Esselstine men would have to leave by stealth to safely reach the British Lines, or recruiting center. Peter's statement that, "George Finkle would have been hanged had the rebels caught him", is indicative of the turbulent state of Columbia County by 1777. The inland areas had not become very active in the War until this date, for some especially among the Dutch, were slow to take up arms against the British. Prof. Tyler states, "The aim of the Loyalists was reform through conciliation, rather than separation from Great Britain".

The following is Peter Esselstine's claim for losses in the

Revolution as it appears in the Bureau of Archives, Claim #865: Peter Esselstine, late of Albany: Claimant says he resided betwixt Isle la Noir and Point aux Fear in Fall of 1783, is a native of America, lived in Albany County. Joined General Burgoyne at Saratoga. Continued with him till ye Convention. Served in Jessup's corps as private till ye regiment was disbanded and produces his discharge. Had land near Albany which he parted with before he came away by way of mortgage, as he had not paid for it. Lost 15 head of cattle, left on farm land. Heard they were sold, 2 cows, 2 work cattle, a Bull and yearlings, 15 in all, 7 hogs, 6 sheep, carpenter tools, farming utensils, and furniture. Sworn witness in regard to Peter's loss was George Finkle, stated he knew the claimant, knew his property, knew his stock of 10 or 12 head of horned cattle. He left everything when he joined Burgoyne. The rebels took them. He had 8 sheep, carpenter tools and furniture which were taken by the rebels. A second sworn witness was Conrad Vandusen: knew claimant, knew his property, and his stock which was taken on account of his going to Burgoyne.

Claims made by these men, witnesses for Peter, in which Peter is a witness for them regarding their losses are as follows: George Finkle stated he resided in Cloback district, Albany County, joined Burgoyne in 1777 and continued with him until he was taken. Had leased land on Rancellear Manor, Cloback district. Leased it for 3 lives. Built a frame house, had oxen, steers, 50 hogs, 30 sheep, furniture and tools. He valued the house at £300. All was taken by the rebels.

Peter Asceltine, witness for Finkle, knew claimant. He left his stock on the farm when he joined Burgoyne in 1777. The rebels would have hanged the claimant had they caught him for raising men and swearing them into the King's Service. Afterward he was in Jessup's Corps. Knew his place, it



was leased land, 120 acres on Ransellaer Manor. Remembered he lived there long before the War. A good deal was cleared land. He had considerable stock of horses and cattle, which he left on his place. They were all taken, after he joined Burgoyne.

Conrad Vandusen, witness for George Finkle: said he was a true Loyalist. Had a farm on Ransellaer Manor. About 50 acres of cleared land. Remembered him in possession of land some years before the War. There was a good barn and frame house, 1 dozen cattle or more, and 6 or 7 horses.

Conrad VanDusen said he lived on Ransellaer Manor until February, 1777. States he had 139 acres leased forever on Ransellaer Manor in 1773. He built a house and barn on same. His stock and grain was all taken by the rebels.

Peter Esselstine and George Finkle also witnessed Van Dusen's losses.

("Clobber" was their Dutch pronunciation for Claverack, N.Y. and is pronounced somewhat the same today by natives of the town, which is about 20 miles from Albany City.)

A statement of losses in the War by Simon Cole (Cool, in Dutch and Kool) also appear in Volume 1. He was a native of America and joined the British army in 1777. Before that he lived at home. He at no time took part with rebels and was in consequence obliged to flee. He lived for some time in the woods before he escaped to the British Army. He now resides at Bay of Quinte. Had 120 acres leased forever on Ransellaer Manor near the Kelly Burgh, which was valued at £75. Purchased 120 acres adjoining, valued at £20. Purchased 120 acres in 1773. Valued a negro killed by rebel Indians at £70, also another negro taken after he joined Burgoyne at £40. Grain taken out of Mill 200 sheple, peas, wheat,

horses, 7 head of cattle, 4 calves, 11 sheep, hogs, a small Mill, 182 hides lost in General Burgoyne's Camp, farming utensils and furniture. Witness for Simon Cole, viz: Martin Stuby states that he knew claimant in colony. He was always loyal. He had several farms. He bought them early in the War. He was worth money. He had great quantities of wheat by him. A good stock of cattle, horses and sheep. Had Potash and Tan works. The rebels killed one of his slaves, and he had one other. This statement dated March 31st, 1787.

Peter Esselstine states that he resided in 1783 at Isle la Noir and Point aux Fear. These were British fortified areas at the junction of the Richelieu River and Lake Champlain. Jessup's Corp men were retained here for a time, as protection from Border disturbances and here many of the wives and children from N.Y. joined these soldiers from 1781 to 1783, being housed and fed by the British Government).

From book "New York State in Revolutionary War", Page 254 of the supplement, is this record, "Land Confiscated, of Petrus Esselsteyn 1780".

John Aselstine Sr. and many more Loyalists did not file their "loss due to war" because they could not be made aware of prospects of reimbursement as Communication almost nil those days.

* Reimbursement for confiscated property of the Loyalists failed, although negotiations did occur.



RECORDS OF ASSELSTINE
SETTLEMENT IN UPPER CANADA

"Isaac Asselstine, son of John Asselstine, a U.E.L. praying for land, as a Loyalist, recommended for 200 acres of land, as a son of a U.E. Loyalist." Also "Abraham Asselstine, of Ernestown, son of John Asselstine, a U.E.L. praying for land as a Loyalist, recommended for 200 acres of land as a son of a U.E. Loyalist."

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Council Chamber
9th March 1803.

Present

The Honorable The Chief Justice.
The Honorable James Baby.
The Honorable Aeneas Shaw.
The Honorable John McGill Esquires.

The Committee took into consideration the following Petitions referred to it by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

ISAAC ASSELSTINE

Of Ernest Town Son of John Asselstine a U.E.L. Praying for Lands as a Loyalist. Recommended for Two hundred Acres of Land as the Son of a U.E. Loyalist.

ABRAHAM ASSELSTINE

Of Ernest Town Son of John Asselstine a U.E.L. Praying for Lands as a Loyalist. Recommended, for Two hundred Acres of Land as the Son of a U.E. Loyalist.

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UPPER CANADA LAND PETITIONS, 1797-1799

The Honorable Peter Russell President Administering the Government of Upper Canada in Council &c.

The Petition of John Asselstine

Humbly Sheweth.

That your Petitioner having Two children born before 1789 for which he has drawn no Land humbly prays your honor will be pleased to grant him One Hundred Acres of Land for them and your Petitioner will as in Duty bound for every pray

JOHN ASSELSTINE
by Agent A. McLean.

ENDORSED: Petition A 47., of John Asselstine, read 9 Nov. 97. Rec'd for 100 acres family lands. Read in Council 18 Nov. '97.

Personnally appeared before Me John Asselstine and Made oath that Elizabeth Asselstine and Peter Asselstine is Both Son and dauter to John and Mary Asselstine and that they was both born before the year 1789.
Ernest Town 10th October 1797.

JOHN DUSENBERG, C.P.

Witness Present his
Peter X
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To The Honorable Peter Russell President, Administering the Government of the Province of Upper Canada &c.

In Council

The Petition of Peter Asslestine, senior,
Humbly Sheweth

That your Petitioner having two Children born before the year 1789 for which he has drawn no land humbly prays your honor will be pleased to grant him One hundred Acres of Land for them.

And your Petitioner will as in Duty Bound for ever pray.

PETER ASSELESTINE

by his Agent A. McLean.

ENDORSED: the petition of Peter Asslestine A 37. Recd for 100 Acres family lands. Read in Council, 16th Nov. 1797.

Personally appeared before Me—Peter Asslestine Senr and made Oath that Peter Asslestine and John Asslestine is both sons to Peter and Christeen Asslestine and that they was both born before the year 1789—
Ernest Town 10th October 1797

JOHN DUSENBERG, C.P.

Witness Present
Andrew X Miller
mark

PUBLIC ARCHIVES OF CANADA

UPPER CANADA LAND PETITIONS

1797 - 1799

To His Honor Peter Russell Esqr President Administering the Government of Upper Canada &c., &c., &c.

In Council

Isaac Asslestine son of Peter Asslestine, U. E. Loyalist having attained the age of twenty one years & having drawn 100 acres of Land, prays for an additional 100 acres to complement his allowance as the son of a U. E. Loyalist.

Addington

20th Oct. 1799.

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ISAAC X ASSELESTINE

mark

ENDORSED: A 21, Isaac Asslestine, U.E. Petition. recd 8 Nov. 97, Read 13 Nov. 97, for 100 Acres in Addition.

From Bureau of Archives: The first Common School was in Fredricksburg Township, 1786 (Vol. I, 1904 publication.

A search of land records show these sons of John's first marriage were granted lots No. 3 and No. 4, Concession 9, King Township, York County. The Newmarket, Ontario Registrar—from Abstract Index of lot No. 4, concession No. 9, King Township, reveals the following records. "Patent dated Feb. 16, 1804, Crown land to Isaac Astlestone land 200 acres, all lot 4 concession, 9 for township King. Also No. 17468 deed dated July 2nd, 1840 and registered July 7, 1840 "Isaac Astlestone and his wife Mary Barbury Astlestone to George Hamble. Consideration \$1000, land 400 acres. Lots No. 3 and 4, concession 9, township of King. (Isaac evidently bought Abraham's lot from him early.)

There also appears additional land petition of Abraham viz: "The petition of Abraham Asselstein lot No. 12 in the 3rd concession of Markham desires to occupy adjoining lot No. 11, in same concession, which is Crown land. He therefore, prays Your Excellency to grant a lease of said reserve.", dated York, Oct. 5, 1803. Efforts to trace Abraham and descendants through these land records, failed. Search of

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Abstract of E. half of lot 12, concession 3, township of Markham, reveals a complete break in title from 1803, as John Grey sold the land in 1919 and no further mention of Asselstine appears on title, and none on lot No. 11. The purchase of lot No. 12 in Markham township may have been the reason Abraham's name is omitted in his father's will of 1822. (John Sr. may have given him financial aid in the purchase of lot 12 in Markham township. Isaac had also received assistance from his father but is mentioned).

Through the verbal statement handed down we know Isaac had been granted land in King township, York County, and also that Isaac decided to settle in Fredricksburg near Hay Bay off the Bay of Quinte because King township lots seemed too far inland. He bought the land on Hay Bay. Just where Isaac and his mother resided in Ontario, prior to Hay Bay is not known. Verbal information, handed down, is that when Isaac arrived from New York State, they went to live with his mother's relatives in Adolphustown. From the record of Adolphustown settlers, it would appear the only Dutch Settlers there from the same neighborhood of Columbia County, New York would be Cool (Cole), Van Dusen and Van Alstine, all three families in early New York records appear much intermarried into Esselsteyn families. One would assume some one of these three Dutch families were her relatives, for in the Baptism record of Isaac, April 1st, 1777, the sponsors of his baptism were Andries Cool and his wife Christina. Sponsors were usually close relatives. (Andries Cool's first wife was Sarah Shoomacker, married 3, 8, 1746, and he married his 2nd wife Christina Kermer before 1752.) It appears POSSIBLE that these were Catharina's parents and therefore, grandparents of Isaac.

*Vol. XXXIV N.J. Archives, Part 2, Page 10 Will of Abraham Cermer (or Kermer) mentions Christine Cool as his daughter and wife of Andris Cool.

The original Cool (or Cole) settler in Adolphustown was Simon and his sons Isaac and Baruch (or Bernard in English), Abraham, and Conrad. Simon Cool in his statement of losses due to War to U.S.A. said he lived on Rensselaer Manor, Columbia County, New York. (Albany-County then).

The verbal story of Isaac, son of John Sr. coming to Canada was related by a granddaughter whose early years were spent in the home where Isaac resided and which her father Nicholas inherited from Isaac. The following are her childhood memories and impressions: "Isaac was bound out as a boy to learn a trade and when he had served the necessary years, he told his employers he was going to Canada with his mother. Isaac's employer was a man who made Clerical Records, such as deeds, wills, and operated a farm; Isaac assisted in both. His employer offered him a farm and any one of his three daughters in marriage if Isaac would stay with him, but he preferred to go to Canada."

The granddaughter's impression was that Isaac's father had fled to Canada because he would not fight the British. Isaac recalled that his mother was very sea-sick crossing Lake Ontario from Oswego, N.Y. to Kingston, Ontario and that Kingston then was a small place of a few houses and stores. They crossed with others to Kingston and went to relatives in Adolphustown. Later Isaac met and married Mary Barbara Fraley. The Fraleys (Fraleigh or Frailek) came from Hudson River Dutch Settlement in New York, although originally, their ancestors came from Hamburg, Prussia. Isaac took his bride to a log home in a ten acre clearing. There they set up housekeeping, with a few crude chairs, a bed of native wood, and an old chest for a table. Although the government had done its best to outfit each Loyalist, livestock was still in short supplies in the settlement and every horse, cow, sheep, and pig was a valued possession. Naturally, then, the story of how he bested the bear which came prowling about his house, was one of Isaac's oft' told tales. He was awakened



one night by the clumsy reconnoitering of a bear, only to hear a few moments later the resounding squeals of a pig. He seized his gun and dashed out to shoot the bear, and rescue his badly mangled pig. Unfortunately the pig had to be butchered, but the meat was salted away for future eating, while the bear yielded a bounty of \$10 and the pelt sold for \$10. The bear's fat provided enough candles for two years. Isaac with Dutch frugality was elated over having come well out of such a sorry situation.

The Dutch language and Bible, was used in the home. Soon they employed an English-speaking girl in the home to aid them with English. She absorbed the constantly used Dutch words and sometimes forgot the English word for objects. It is said that when Barbara asked her in English for her distaff, the girl failed to understand the word until it was substituted in Dutch before she realized what was wanted.

The early Ontario Church Records show some of the early New York spelling of the Asselstine name. For example: in the baptism record, on August 6, 1807, of Nicholas, 2nd son of Isaac, the name is spelled Isselstine. Also in the Church membership 1816, Barbara Iselstine (wife of Isaac Asselstine, is recorded.) The name of Jacob and Anna Fralig also appear with their daughters, Barbara and Anna as communicants.

Isaac died June 25th, 1860 at approx. 82 years of age, and Mary Barbara died April 17, 1849 at the age of 63 years and 23 days. They are buried in the cemetery beside Big Creek, Fredricksburg, not far from the old farm. It is now an abandoned cemetery and the land deed seems to have been lost. Elizabeth, their daughter, is also buried near them. The broken tombstone reads: "Elizabeth, daughter of Isaac Asselstine and Mary Barbara, died April 29th, 1839 at the age 7 years, 3 months and 3 days."

The late Samuel Asselstine (grandson of Isaac) reared

on the homestead of Isaac often related that his grandfather always said Grace at meals in the Dutch language. William C., youngest son of Isaac, used to sing Dutch ditties, to entertain his grandchildren, although he knew little of the meaning of the words.

Peter, son of John Sr., married Barbara Carr, daughter of Daniel Carr, 9, 27, 1809. The children of Peter and Barbara were Daniel, John and William. John married Hannah Van Norman, Jan. 10, 1834 (Archives; Marriage Bond).



JOHN SR.'s DISCHARGE

His Majesty's Provincial Regiment; called
Loyal Rangerswhereof
Edward Jefsups Esq.....is major.
Commandant.

These are to Certify, that the Bearer hercof, John Eselstine, Private Soldier in Captain Company, of the aforefaid Regiment, born in the Parish of Livingston, in the County of Albany, aged forty — Hath served honestly and faithfully in the said Regiment — two years; and in consequence of his Majesties Orders for Disbanding the said Regiment he is hereby Discharged, and is entitled, by His Majesty's late Order to The Portion of Land allotted to each Soldier of his Provincial Corps who wishes to become a settler in this Province. He having first received all just demands of pay, clothing, etc. from his entry into said Regiment, to the date of his Discharge, as appears by his receipt on the Back thereof. Also he served in Col. Jefups Corps, Four Years and Five months.

Given under by Hand and Seal

River de Chin, this Twenty Fourth Day of December 1783.
EDWARD JEFESUP, Major

Commandant Loyal Rangers

The Captain's name is blurred but looks like "McJones" could be "McGuiness". Total of 6 years' service from above paper. Part of the letter "S" occurring, are sometimes, written as old English "S" and looks like the letter "f" and I have copied them as they occur and also the Capital letters as they occur.

It is strongly possible that language difficulty may account for John's age recorded as 40; or his baptism may have been a delayed one, as ministers were itinerant. Per: Canadian Archivistie Records — Peter Sr. and John Sr. Asselstine served Ernestown Jury in 1793, Oct. 8th and 9th (Vol. published 1917).

COPY

In the name of God Amen.

I John Aseltine of the Town of Ernesttown Midland District and Province of Upper Canada being very sick and weak in (or in perfect helth of) body, but (am of perfect mind and memory thanks be given Unto God ealling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die. Do make and ordain this My Last will and testament, that is to, principally and first of all I give and recommend my Soul into the hand of Almighty God that gave It, and my Boddy I recommend to the earth to be buried in Decent Christian buriel at the Direction of my executors, nothing Douting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the Same again by the mighty power of God. and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it Has pleased God to bless me in this life, I Give, Demise, and Dispose of the same in the Following manner and form.—
First

I give and bequeath to Susanah my Dearly beloved wife all my household furniture and two cows and four sheep and also I give Her the use of my house and her support of of my farm In sickness and Helth which support my son Peter is to furnish her with, if not, she hath due authority to wrent (?) a part or all of said farm I now live on as may be necessary for her support during life or as long as she remains my widow.

Secondly, I give and bequeath to my well beloved son Peter the farm I now live on by him to be freely Posest and enjoyed on conditions he doth will and truly support his mother as above described and also pay the sums I shall give to my other Children, thirdly, I give unto Andrew my Beloved son a lot of land in Sidney in the sixth concesson No. thirty seven by him freely to be posest and enjoyed and also my



gun and also when he wants to go onto said farm a yoke of oxen plough Harrow and Churn.

Fourthly I give unto my well beloved Daughters the following sums Elizabeth five pounds, Jenny five pounds Marah five shillings sterling Christina one cow and five pounds.
Fifthly I give unto my beloved son Isaac Five shillings Sterling—

Which sums are all to be paid By my son Peter or out of the farm I now live on — and I likewise constitute and appoint James Lake James Hogle and Peter Aseltine, Jr. to be my sole executors of this my Last will and testament and I do hereby utterly Disallow revoke and Disanul all and every other former testaments wills Legacies Bequests and Executors by me in any wise before Named willed and bequeathed ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty-second Day of July in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred and seventeen. Signed sealed published pronounced and Delivered By said John Aseltine as his last will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our Names.

James Hogle
Sebastian Hogle
Nathan Fellows

his
John X Aseltine
mark

(ENDORSEMENTS ON BACK)

LAST WILL & TESTAMENT JOHN ASELTINE

I certify that a Memorial of the within will was Registered in the Register office of the county of Addington on the

nineteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and twenty-two, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Book E.
Pages Nos. 34 & 35
Memorial No. 506.
ISAAC FRASER, Dy. Reg'r.
County of Addington.

MR. JOHN ASELTINE

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.

I do hereby certify that a Memorial of such a part of the within will as relating to estate therein mentioned. Situated in the County of Hastings is Recorded in the Registry office for the said County on the Eighth day of May one Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty Two at Ten O'clock in the forenoon. In Liiber G. folio 6 Memorial seven hundred

ROBT SMITH
D'y Register
County Hastings.

No public school existed in the days of John and Peter Aseltine, thus the inability to write the name. This, too, may account for the "A" spelling of name in Canada Land Grants.

(The affirmation of religious faith, expressed in will is characteristic of many early N.Y. Dutch recorded wills.)



COPY

The last Will and Testament of Peter Asselstine Junior of the Township of Ernest-town in the incorporated Counties of Lennox and Addington in the Midland district in the Province of Upper Canada Yeoman I Peter Asselstine Junior considering the mortality of this mortal life and being of sound mind and memory (blessed be Almighty God for the same) do make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following (that is to say) First I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Barbary Asselstine a decent and comfortable support and maintenance as long as she remains my widow which shall be to her in lieu of Dower. Secondly I give and devise unto my eldest son John Asselstine his Heirs and Assigns forever the West Half of Lot Number Thirty Seven in the Sixth Concession of the Township of Sidney in the County of Hastings Midland District and Province of Upper Canada, containing by measurement one hundred acres be the same more or less — And I also give and bequeath to him one cow and two three year old steers, or will be three years old next spring, which are to be delivered to him immediately after my decease. I also give and devise unto my sons Daniel and William Asselstine as tenants in common, apart of Lot No. Seventeen in the Fourth Concession of the Township of Ernest-town in the incorporated Counties of Lennox and Addington in the Midland District and Province of Upper Canada containing by admeasurement one hundred and thirty Acres be the same more or less to have and to hold the same to them, their heirs, and the heirs and assigns of their heirs forever.

I also give and bequeath unto my four daughters, each one cow and two sheep to be delivered to them as they each attain the age of twenty-one year, or sooner if married. And lastly as to all the rest, residue and remainder of my personal estate, goods, and chattels of that kind and nature soever I give and bequeath the same to my sons Daniel and William Asselstine except as much of the same as will be necessary to make the bequest hereinbefore made to my four daughters And as much as will make Twelve Pounds of Upper Canada currency which I hereby give and bequeath for the purpose of educating my son William Asselstine. And I also hereby direct that for the support of my beloved wife as before directed the same be made and provided for at the expense of my two sons Daniel and William Asselstine, or out of the profits arising out of or from the lands and tenements or out of the goods and chattels hereby bequeathed to my sons Daniel and William Asselstine. And my express will and meaning is and I hereby order and appoint that if any difference, dispute question or controversy, shall be moved, arise, or happen concerning any gift, bequest, matter, or thing in this my will given and bequeathed expressed or contained that then no suit or suits in law or equity or otherwise shall take place for and concerning the same but the same shall be referred to the award of my executors. And what they shall order and direct and determine therein shall be binding and conclusion to all and every person or persons therein concerned.

And I hereby appoint Michael Asselstine, Peter Asselstine, and James Lake Senior all of the Township of Ernest-town aforesaid Yeoman to be the Executors of this my last



INCIDENTS RE: ASSELSTINES AND ALLIED FAMILIES

The statement of John Sr. appearing on the certificate at the time of his marriage in Quebec, 1784, would appear to be an error, created by war time and primitive means of communication. He must have heard in some manner that his wife Catharina was dead, or due to local skirmish in and about Clavarack, N.Y., then "A Tory hot bed," she may have been injured, and reported dying. The wives and children of both factions suffered as homes were burned and raided.

The fact that John said that he was a widower, when he could have passed as a bachelor, if he chose, makes it appear that he innocently remarried. Isaac, his son and Catharina, his first wife came to Canada expecting to locate him, but when they did, he had a wife and young children; what legal adjustment was made, we do not know, but the story related to us by Isaac's granddaughter is that "they found he had a wife and young children, so his first wife was resigned to his responsibility to take care of the young children, and continued life with her son Isaac."

Another family story was one all to common in pioneer days on the frontier, the capture of a white child by the Indians. This story concerns the aunt of Catharine Moore, wife of William C. Asselstine. The child, Christian daughter of John Strobach (or Struback) is said to have been seized by Mohawk Indian raiders in Mohawk Valley, N.Y. The impression left with us in great grandma's family was, that she was never found, though the search went on even after the Mohawks were settled in Upper Canada.

However, Cannif in his "History of the Settlement of Upper Canada" Page 657, relates the story of "Captive Christian Moore" in which the woman concerned able to speak

will and Testament. Hereby revoking all former wills by me made. In witness thereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the seventeenth day of December in the Year of our Lord one thousand and Eight hundred and Twenty-seven.

Signed, sealed, published and delivered by the above named Peter Asselstine to be his last will and Testament, in the presence of us) PETER ASSELSTINE
who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses in presence of)
the Testator.)

SAMUEL STEWART

JOHN HOGLE

NATHAN SULLOVAN.

(This Will is that of Peter, son of John Sr.)



AND RECORDS

VOL 1, 1899, PAGE 27 MARRIAGE REGISTER,

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ERNESTOWN, #3

Paul Egnier and Margaret E. Asselstine, Feb. 26, 1812.

Page 77, McDowell Marriage Register—

Peter Asselstine and Susannah Ball, both of Ernestown, Aug. 27th, 1809.

Page 78, John Watson and Jane Asselstine, both of Ernestown, Dec. 2, 1810.

Page 84, Anthony Denec & Catherine Asselstine, both of Amherst Isle, Sept. 16, 1816.

Page 86, Richard Lesart and Christine Estelstine, both of Ernestown, Sept. 15, 1818.

Page 88, Isaac Astelstine and Mary Keller, both of Fredricksburg March 20, 1820. Michael Asselstine and Catherine Fraser, both of Ernestown, Nov. 7th, 1819.

Page 90, Bocin Asselstine and Sophia Hammond, both of Ernestown, Aug. 2, 1821.

Page 100, Baptism in Ernestown by Rev. Robert McDowell—

John Davis, son of Isaac Asselstine and Hannah Davy, born March 25th, 1802.

Page 101, Nancy, daughter of Michael Asselstine and Catherine Fraser, born Aug., 1820.

Vol. V & VI, Page 165 — Barbara Iselstine Church Member 1816. Pastor Rev. McCarty (wife of Isaac Asselstine).

Page 167—John Asselstine, deacon and Mrs. John Asselstine and daughters members. 6th Cone., Ernestown, 1830.

Page 148 — John Asselstine and Mary, daughter Sarah baptised June 27, 1815.

only the Indian language relates her story through an interpreter, to the missionary on a Mohawk reserve. She tells of fleeing with her parents from the Indians but becoming separated from them and captured, of being carried, a tiny four year old child, on an Indian's back, of being kindly treated, and of having no early recollection of her father's face. She stated that her father located her on the reserve when she was grown and had a family, and identified her by a deep scar burned by a childhood accident. Either Canniff or the woman is in error with regard to the name "Moore". This was the name of her married sister who lived North of Napanee, Ontario, as Canniff relates. Possibly the confusion might result from the presence of members of the Moore family with the father, when he visited her on the reserve. Canniff also states the Chief, Joseph Brant, took her as wife while temporarily at Niagara, whether identification was positive, is questionable.

*"CAPTIVE CHRISTIAN MOORE" — William C. Asselstine's wife was Catharine Moore and whose mother's sister was "stolen by the Mohawk Indians" in N.Y. Mohawk Valley. Canniff stated Christian was then 100 years old.

*The family tale related that Mr. Strobach was also captured by the Indians in a Mohawk Valley raid, N.Y., but escaped, with a loss of part of his scalp. Mary (Strobach) Moore lived to age 101 and died approx. year 1883. (The youngest child of the family.)



CEMETERY RECORDS

(EARLY CANADIAN)

Lutheran Cemetery, Bath, Ont.

Peter Asselstine Sr. died May 15th, 1826, age 84.
Christine (Davy) Asselstine died July 29th, 1805, age 52.
John Asselstine died June 30th, 1858, age 69 yrs. 11 mo. 4 days.
(son of Peter Jr.) grandson of John Sr.
Mary Asselstine died Aug. 18th, 1848 (wife of John).
Michael Asselstine died 1923, born 1847.
Catherine (Fraser) Asselstine died May 25th, 1885.
Isaac F. Asselstine died July 12th, 1860, age 45.
Minerva (Parrot) Asselstine died June 18th, 1824.
Sarah A. Asselstine died May 5th, 1885, age 61 years.
Mary Ann, wife of W. M. Asselstine, died Jan. 25th, 1852.

Morven Cemetery (White Church)

George Asselstine, born 1833, died 1897.
Ann (Finkle) Asselstine, born 1832, died 1910.
Charles Asselstine born 1861, died 1898.
Anne Asselstine, wife of Charles, born 1869, died 1943.

4th Line Anglican Church Cemetery

Zenas Dafoe Asselstine died April 30th, 1883, age 43.
John Asselstine died Sept. 13th, 1893, age 83 yrs. 9 mos.
Hannah (Van Norman) Asselstine died Nov. 16th, 1892, age 82 yrs. 10 mos.

(Regarding the family of John Esselstine Sr. and first wifewife: The late Mrs. Sarah (Asselstine) Wadsworth, a grand-daughter of Isaac in whose home she resided as a child, related to various relatives, including my aunt, that when Isaac's father left during the war, he had to leave behind him his three young sons, Abraham Jacob and Isaac and their mother.

The "chest" Isaac used in his home Mrs. Wadsworth cherished as long as she lived).



ALLIED FAMILY

LOCHHEAD

An allied family, as Marian wife of Oscar Asselstine, was the daughter of Matthew Lochhead.

The progenitor of the Canadian branch of the name is: John Lochhead and wife Agnes Stuart, married Oct. 20th, 1789 at Glasgow, Scotland; their sons, John, Matthew, Robert, and perhaps more sons.

John (son of John and Agnes) married Janet Andrews at Glasgow, Scotland and migrated to Canada with their children about 1822. Family as follows:—John, Robert, James, Matthew, Janet.

John married Hannah Fraser

Robert married three times; names of wives not known to me. James married Eliza Baker.

Matthew married Rachel Martin (daughter of Elias Martin).

Matthew Lochhead and Rachel Martin—children, viz:—

Marian, Robert, Elias James, Jane, William.

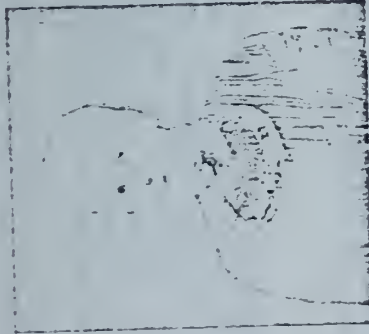
Elias James (Jim) married Nellie—in Terrel, Texas (died in Terrel, Texas, U.S.A.).

Jane married George Woods and William married Fannie.

Marian Ann married Oscar Asselstine.

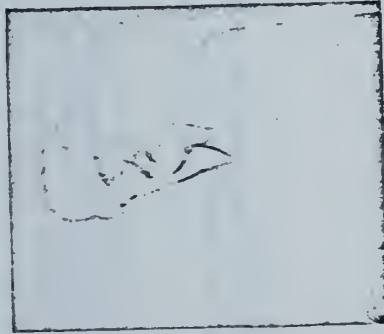
Robert and William both died in Terrell, Texas, U.S.A.

John Lochhead wife and family emigrated to Canada about 1822. The voyage, rough sailing, and some furniture was lost overboard. With them was John's brother Matthew who brought a "small library" with him, as he read much, and



MARIAN LOCHHEAD

Wife of Oscar Asselstine, born August 7, 1846,
died February 6th, 1923.



OSCAR ASSELSTINE

Oldest son of William C. Asselstine and Catherine Moore, was born December 10th, 1846 and died April 10th, 1942.



prior he had studied for the Clergy but was not ordained when he left Scotland. He remained a bachelor.

Janet Andrews, wife of John was a singer, then so-called "Concert Singer". Her parents objected to her appearing in public and later objected to her marriage. That she was fond of music, is evidenced by the fact she taught her family to sing. My keenest recollection regarding grandfather Lochhead is that of him singing. Her son James led the church singing (prior to an Organ and Choir).

The Lochheads were "Cabinet Makers" in Glasgow, Scotland. (In 1938 as I walked along Buchanan street, Glasgow, I beheld a furniture store sign which read "Lochhead & Wiley Co.," my mind leaped back to the old Lochhead Scottish trade, viz: Cabinet Makers).

* Per Edinburgh library, Scotland, records the name originated from lands owned at the head of a Loch (a lake). The name common in Renfrew and Dumfries counties and recorded also in Aberdeen and Lanarkshire as early as 1296. A James Lochheid, burgess and guildbrother of Glasgow in 1626. A Lowland Scotch family. (From Black's Surnames of Scotland).

NOTE: Jane Lochhead, daughter of Matthew Lochhead, was a qualified teacher in Ontario about 1875 or earlier.

ALLIED FAMILY

FROLIG, FRALEY, FREELICH, FRALEIGH AND FRALICH

ALLIED FAMILY BY MARRIAGE OF ISAAC ASSELSTINE
AND MARY BARBARA FRALEY, DAUGHTER OF
JACOB FRALEY

From Simcoe Papers, Vol. V, Page 230.

"Martin Freleigh, Midland district granted 700 acres of land 1796."

According to a verbal story handed down, Martin had 7 sons; only five first names I've heard, viz: Jacob, Christopher, John, Peter and Louis.

From Duchess County, N.Y., history: A Stephen Frelich, it states they were Palatine Settlers who moved to West Camp Ulster Co. N.Y. about 1710. In Jonathan Pearson's "Early Settlers of Albany Co., N.Y." is this record: "Christopher baptised April 12th, 1764, son of Martin Freelich and Anna Hagadoran".

Christopher Fraleigh served (as officer) at the battle of Queenston Heights and Lundy's Lane, war 1812,—son of Martin.

There was a Benjamin Fraleigh, U.E.L. Settler at Niagara District. It is a question if Benjamin of Niagara settlement and Marten of Bay of Quinte area were brothers. (Barbara, daughter of Jacob, son of Martin Fraleigh, named a son Benjamin).

The baptisms of Jacob Fraley's children are recorded chiefly in Lutheran Ebenczer Church, Big Creek, Fredricksburg, Bay of Quinte district, and copied in Vol. 6, Ontario Historical Society.



From tombstone record "Louis (Fraleigh) Fralick, son of Martin, died July 23, 1847, age 85 years 14 days". I believe Louis was grandfather of the late Judge Fralich of Belleville, Ontario.

Jacob and wife Anna—children: Mary Barbara, Anna, Jacob Jr.; Elizabeth and Katherine. Jacob Jr. married Hannah Hoffmann. Anna married William Sills; Elizabeth married Benjamin Salisbury; Katherine married Jacob Shibley. (All married in Bay of Quinte area of Fredricksburg and Ernestown townships.

P.S.—The early Belleville, Ont., newspaper was started and published by a descendant of Louis Fralick.

ALLIED FAMILY KELDAR (KELLER)

ALLIED THROUGH MARRIAGE OF ISAAC ESSELSTEIN
AND ELIZABETH KELDAR, BEFORE 1741

Elizabeth is thought to be a daughter of Conradt Keldar. From Columbia County history is this record: "Conradt Keldar, 1720, a resident in the north part of Manor Livingston." Also Page 242, Documentary History of New York Vol. 1: John Asseltine in his military "papers" said he was born in Livingston parish, Albany, N.Y. (son of Isaae and Elizabeth Esselstein).

From book "Early Palatine Emigration:

The movement of the Palatines to Livingston Manor began in June 1711. There were eleven villages inhabited by Oct. 1714.

The total number of Palatines on the Hudson being 1874.

Board of Trade list:

1st party sailing included:—

Valentine Kaldauer, wife, 2 sons, 3 daughters.

2nd sailing, 5-23-1709:

John Keller—wife and 1 child.

Nicholas Keller—wife.

June 5, 1709:

Maria Barbera

Peter Keler, Jacob Keller.

July 15, 1709:

Anna Barbera—1 child.

From Simmendinger Register:—

Conrad Keller (Hunterston) mother and children.

NOTE:—Among the baptisms in the register of old Lutheran Church of N.Y.: "4-30-1722 at Goshelhoeck. Baptised in the Taarboss, Anna Elizabeth, child of Conrad Keller and wife,

Maria Barbera. Witnesses myself (Rev. Faulkner), Jan Hardick and my wife, Geertge Faulker."



NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS FROM NAPANEE BEAVER

WM. C. ASSELSTINE

The death of Wm. C. Asselstine in his 89th year, removes the youngest and last surviving member of a U.E. Loyalist family. His father, Isaac Asselstine, for loyalty to the British Crown, received a grant of land in the Township of King, not very far from Toronto; this he sold and bought land from the government at the head of Hay Bay, in the Township of South Fredericksburgh. Although of Dutch parentage and using the Dutch language and Dutch Bible in the family during the early part of their residence in this country, like many more of the same nationality, he left his home in the "land of the free" to enjoy the security and liberty that is always found where the British flag is unfurled. The original purchase was added to till the family owned a valuable estate. This property has remained in the family for more than a century and is now occupied by the fourth generation of the same name. The family of five sons and two daughters all settled and prospered in this County. Several of them located near Moseow, and Wm. C. set down his stakes in the corner of Camden, at what is known as Asselstine's Hill, where he spent many years of activity making for himself a comfortable and hospitable home, and accumulating a nice property. When the burden of years forced him to resign his active business life, he retired to the town of Napanee to enjoy the fruits of his toil, where he was carefully cared for by his daughter Delia. His family are all worthy and respected members of society, Whitney on the homestead; Oscar at Marlbank; Wm. in Manitoba; Mrs. Weese at Centreville; Mrs. Clark in Picton and Delia in Napanee. Honest, industrious, contented and for many years a member of the Methodist church, he passed away peacefully and without any fears.

—Copy from the "Napanee Beaver."

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An event, unique in the recent history of the County, was celebrated on Monday, April 8th, when Mr. George Asselstine of Moseow observed his 100th birthday at the home of his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Asselstine.

An informal reception was held during the afternoon, at which 100 friends and relatives were present and registered in Mr. Asselstine's birthday book. Seventy-five cards and telegrams were received by Mr. Asselstine, from San Angelo, Texas; Colton, California; Vancouver, B.C.; Saskatoon, Sask.; Winnipeg, Man.; Boston, Detroit, Toronto, Kingston, Napanee, Marlbank and many rural points. Cards were received from five generations, descendants of Mr. C. N. Garrison of Colebrook, the 84-year-old nephew of Mr. Asselstine.

Mr. Asselstine, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Asselstine, received his guests in the drawing room, which was decorated with ferns and daffodils. The large three-story birthday cake, presented by Mrs. F. S. Wartman, a niece of Napanee, and made and decorated by Mrs. A. J. Francis of Napanee, occupied a place of prominence in the room. It was decorated in gold and white and had as part of its decorations the date 1835-1935, and the date of April 8th, 1935. Mr. Asselstine, after extinguishing the hundred candles, in two attempts, cut the cake which was served with other refreshments, to the guests after they had offered their congratulations and good wishes.

During the afternoon short addresses were given by Rev. G. T. Mackenzie of Yarker, Mr. Joseph Foster of Moseow, Mr. C. N. Garrison of Colebrook, and Mr. Oscar Asselstine of Marlbank. Good wishes were extended to Mr. Asselstine and hopes were expressed that he would live many more years to enjoy the comforts provided in the home of his nephew and niece.

Many pictures were taken of the honored old gentleman. Among them was one of Mr. Asselstine and two of his aged

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kinsmen, Mr. Oscar Asselstine of Moscow, 89 years old, and Mr. C. N. Garrison of Colbrook, 84 years.

The event came to a close late in the afternoon by the choir of the Moscow Church singing "The End Of a Perfect Day." Small boxes of the birthday cake are being mailed to relatives at a distance who were unable to be present.

(George, son of Jacob (son of Peter) (son of Isaac) died at age of 101).

(1937)

Oscar Asselstine, one of Marlbank's grand old men, will be 91 years old on December 10, and he can still do all the work around the house, caring for his garden in the summer and even splitting the wood in the winter. His hearing is good and he can see to read without glasses. In his boyhood days he can remember the money being computed in pounds, shillings and pence. He remembers the days of travelling with oxen, and has owned teams of oxen that could travel as fast as many horses. Many a day has he spent with the scythe in the hay field and he remembers once, when with one other man, they cut a 15-acre field in two days, making an average of nearly four acres a day each. Mr. Asselstine can remember the first threshing machine and how it was run with a one-horse tread. Then came the two-horse tread mill and later the six and eight-horse sweep to drive the more improved models of threshing machines. His grandmother often, in his childhood days, sat spinning flax which had been harvested. Mr. Asselstine has been married twice although both of his partners have passed on, and he has three sons living and three daughters.

Mr. Asselstine regrets the loss of the community spirit that prevailed in his younger days. He says that the generation of today is not getting as much out of life as people used to when he was in his youth. Mr. Asselstine did a great deal of cattle buying till his advancing age prevented

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him from following this occupation, and he still watches the livestock markets every day and can tell the trend of the market better than many men years younger. This fine old gentleman has read his Bible through several times and it is his daily companion as he passes along toward the end of the trail. A cousin, George Asselstine, who used to reside at Moscow, lived to the century mark and Mr. Asselstine feels there is a chance he will achieve this distinction.

MRS. OSCAR ASSELSTINE

There are many who will feel a deep personal loss in the death of Mrs. Oscar Asselstine, at her home in Marlbank, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 6th, 1923.

She was born on August 7th, 1846, at Grieve's Corners, in Richmond Township, her maiden name being Marion Ann Loehhead, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Loehhead. She was married to her now bereaved husband on March 24th, 1871, and came with him to their farm home in the 11th Concession of Richmond. In this community they continued to reside until about two years ago, when they removed to Marlbank.

Of their children, two died in infancy. The others are Mrs. Ida McLaughlin, of Marlbank; Mrs. Edward Nugent, of Newburgh; Miss Kathryn, nurse superintending one of the stations of the City Board of Health, Detroit, Mich.; Herbert J., of Richmond; Wm. O., and Robert W., of Richmond, near the old family home; and Dr. Stanley M. Asselstine, of Windsor, Ont.

Mrs. Asselstine possessed in her nature much that is finest in life. Devoted to her home and family, her kind and cheerful disposition won for her the love of all who knew her. A sincere and life-long Christian, her life was to others a witness of the joy and influence of the faith she cherished. She was a member of the Methodist Church, and with

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her husband and family took a great interest in all its work. When the Marlbank Auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society was first organized, she became its treasurer, and continued in that office until she was no longer able to take any active part in the work of the Church.

During the last two years her health failed rapidly, but she kept her cheerful faith, and the end came peacefully as one falling asleep to awaken in that land where "the inhabitant shall not say, 'I am sick'."

The funeral service was held in the Marlbank Methodist Church, on February 9th, by Rev. W. H. Clarke, and her body placed in the Napance vault. The bearers were her four sons, her son-in-law, Mr. Edward Nugent, and her grandson, Mr. Franklin McLaughlin. The interment will be made in the family cemetery at the Asselstine Hill.

MR. OSCAR ASSELSTINE

NAPANEE, April 13, 1942 — Pioneer resident of Marlbank, Oscar Asselstine, 95, died at his home Saturday following a short illness. He was the father of Dr. Stanley Asselstine, Windsor medical practitioner.

Of United Empire Loyalist parentage, the deceased was born near Marlbank on his father's farm which had been granted by Crown deed. During his active lifetime Mr. Asselstine farmed and was widely known as a cattle buyer. Although his advanced age forced his retirement from this field, he never lost track of the live stock market. Mr. Asselstine enjoyed his faculties until the end and was able to read without glasses.

Twice married, his first wife predeceased him in 1923 and his second wife a few years ago. He was one of a family of six who all reach their three score and ten years

and he leaves two sisters in the West, both past 80. They are Mrs. Richard Hilbert of Nanaimo, B.C., and Mrs. Cyrus Asselstine of Carmen, Manitoba. A cousin, George Asselstine of Moscow was 100 years old when he died six years ago.

Surviving besides Dr. Asselstine are two sons, Robert and William of Marlbank, and three daughters, Miss Kathryn Asselstine of Windsor, Mrs. Edward Nugent of Newburg and Mrs. Ida McLaughlin who lived with her father.

DR. ALBERT JAMES ASSELSTINE

Dr. Albert James Asselstine, of Vancouver, B.C., father of Dr. Albert Penney Asselstine, of Orillia, died at his home in Vancouver, on Friday, May 11. Dr. A. P. Asselstine left at once for his father's funeral and has not yet arrived back.

Dr. A. J. Asselstine was born on a farm near Kingstontn, Ontario. He attended Queen's University and graduated in medicine in 1898. He married Beulah Penney, of Clark's Harbour, N.S. Before moving to Vancouver he practiced medicine for 35 years at Fernie, B.C.

Dr. A. J. Asselstine is survived by his wife, his son, Dr. A. P. Asselstine of Orillia, and one daughter, Mrs. Harold Fargoy of Trail, B.C., three brothers, Claude Asselstine and E. Blake Asselstine, of Calgary, Robert Asselstine of Odessa, Ontario, and two sisters, Miss Greta Asselstine and Mrs. T. Hazlett, of Wilton, Ontario.

The funeral services were held on Tuesday, May 15, at Vancouver, and interment was made in Ocean View cemetery. (A son of Nicholas A., who taught school 40 years in Ernestown).

P.S.—This is of "our" Isaac line, through Cyril Asselstine. Albert, a great grandson of Isaac.



GENEALOGY

Original Settlers in America viz:—Jan Willemzen Van Ysselsteyn, and Marten Cornelissen Van Ysselsteyn.

1st GENERATION BORN IN AMERICA

Jan Willemzen Van Ysselsteyn and Wife Willemyte:—their children:—

Gertruyd	baptised	5 - 22 - 1650
Machtelt	"	7 - 18 - 1655
Willem	"	2 - 20 - 1658
Jacomytie	"	11 - 30 - 1661
Marie	"	11 - 12 - 1664
Cornelis	"	6 - 24 - 1669
Cornelia	"	.. - - 1668

{ Gertruyd married 1st - Jacobus Bruyn, 2nd - Severn Tenhout.		
{ Gertruyd's children: Jan Bruyn, baptised 10-8-1689 and others.		
{ Matchelt married Jan Smced, their children:—		
Josua	baptised	2 - 13 - 1687
Willem	"	8 - 31 - 1684
Gertruyd	"	11 - 26 - 1682
Jacob	"	_____
Jannetie	"	_____

Marten Cornelissen Van Ysselsteyn and Maycke: their children:—

Fanneric (or Janetje born about 1657—married Hendrick C. Bogard.

Cornelis Martense born about 1659—married Cornelia Van Vrcndenburg.
Teuntie (Jaeren) born about 1664—married Livinius Winne.
Gertruy born about 1667—married Jacobus De Lamater.
Marytie born about 1669—married Joris Middagh.
Cornelia born about 1675—married Jan Post.
Jacob born about 1677—married Cathalynta Vandusen.

2nd GENERATION

Cornelius Martense and Wife Cornelia (Van Vrcndenburg) Van Ysselsteyn, children as follows:

William	baptised about 1693—married Fertie —?
David	" 10 - 23 - 1705—died, unmarried.
Jacobus	" 11 - 6 - 1698—married Magdalena Broadhead—5 - 18 - 1724
Isaac	" 1 - 1 - 1696—married Rachel Bogaert —11 - 26 - 1725.
Baata	" 8 - 7 - 1687—married Isaac Van Dusen—12 - 3 - 1706.
Tobias	" 8 - 3 - 1690—
Abraham	" 1 - 8 - 1704—
Gabriel	" _____
Johannes	" 5 - 26 - 1701—married Marie Vrcndenburg—5 - 4 - 1736.

NOTE: Tobias, Abraham and Gabriel are not listed in Will of Cornelius Martense. They are frequently listed as sons in other records.

2nd Son: Jacob: married Cataynta Vandusen 12 - 5 - 1699. children as follows:



Martien baptised 8-11-1700
Bata " 12-26-1705
Helena " 3-26-1713
Matthias " 10-26-1715
Martje " 7-2-1718
Isaac ?

—this last son's name is sometimes listed, but no record found of baptism.

3rd GENERATION

Matthias son of above Jacob, had 4 sons: viz: Robert, Matthias, Samuel and Jacob.

Bata, daughter of above Jacob, married Alexander Thompson.

(Robert, son of Matthias Sr., married Hannah Loof-
(burrow.
(Matthias, son of Matthias Sr. married Ann Wilson.
(Samuel, son of Matthias Sr. married Martha Neville.
(Jacob, son of Matthias Sr. married Phoebe Cawood.

Miscellaneous New Jersey records.

Catharine Iselstine of Perth Amboy, New Jersey,
married James Wilson 1750.

Mary Iselstine of Perth Amboy of New Jersey mar-
ried Lawrence Wessel 1747.

Deborah Iselstine of Perth Amboy, New Jersey, mar-
ried William Fundraw 1752.

Many more names of Van Ysselsteins of 3rd generations and succeeding, are listed in various Church records, but space makes it wise to skip to those of the Canadian progenitors viz:—

4th GENERATION

Isaac Esselstyne, and wife Elizabeth (Kelder). Children of these parents are:

Petrus baptised 9-25-1741—married (Anna Head — 1st (a question) (Christine Davy—2nd.)
Conradt baptised 8-25-1743—married Marie.
Altje (Alidia) " 7-7-1745 — married Heinrich Propper.
Hannes (Johannes) baptised 1-31-1748 — married 1st Catharina, 2nd Marie Langlois, 3rd Susannah. No children of 3rd wife.
Martie baptised 5-27-1750—
Abraham " 1-28-1752 — married Anna Marie Simmons.
Jannitje baptised 10-25-1755—
Agnitge " 9-22-1760—
Andries " ? date—married Elizabeth Stalker in 1783 at Clavaraek, N.Y.

5th GENERATION

Altje (Alidia) married Heinrich Propper—their children viz:
Elizabeth baptised 3-4-1764—Clavaraek Dutch Re-
form Church. Sponsors: Isaac Esselstyne
and wife Elizabeth Esselstyne.

Pieter baptised 6-5-1768. Sponsors, Petrus Es-
selstyne and Anna.



Jannetje baptised 4-17-1771
Isaac " 7-18-1772. Sponsors, Abraham Es-
selstynne and wife Marie.

(Allje and Alidia in English is Adelia or Adeline).

Abraham Esselstynne and Anna Marie Simmons, their chil-
dren viz:

Elizabeth baptised	5-8-1775)
Alburtus "	6-12-1782)
Susanna "	9-23-1777) Churchtown, N.Y. Records.
Jannetje "	2-9-1784) Columbia County.
Girtje "	8-8-1786)

Conradt Esselstynne and wife's maiden name unknown,—
children viz:

Isaac, John, Henry, Peter, Andrew, Jane, Lydia. Born chiefly
in Vermont, U.S.A. (Mrs. Inez Johnson's records).

Andrew Esselstynne and wife Elizabeth Stalker married April
1783 at Clavarak, N.Y. Children:
Anna—baptised 1-9-1785—
Martje— " 11-11-1787—
Isaac— " 11-13-1791—
(Baptisms in Hillsdale, N.Y., Dutch Reform Church).

Petrus Esselstynne U.E.L. and Anna Ilead (1st son Henrich
9-14-1771. St. Thomas Lutheran Church baptism, N.Y.).
Petrus Esselstynne and Christina Davy: children viz:—

Isaac, Elizabeth, Peter John, George, Catharine, Michael.

* Dutch Reform Church Kinderhook, N.Y. Marriage: "Petrus
Esselstynne of Manor Livingston April 2, 1771 and Anna
Ilead, born in Dover.

Johannes Esselstynne U.E.L. and wife Catharina; their chil-
dren, viz:—

(Isaac baptised April 1st, 1777; Hillsdale, N.Y. Dutch
Reform Church.

(Abraham baptised July 13th, 1771, Hillsdale, N.Y., also.
Jacob ? only a verbal story regarding a Jacob exists.
(Born between Abraham and Isaac).

Johannes and 2nd wife, Marie Langlois.

Peter, Elizabeth, Andrew, Jane, Christina, Marah.

(3rd wife: Susannah, no children; believed to be widow of
Amos Martin).

6th GENERATION

Isaac Asselstine and Hannah (Davey) son of Peter Senior
U.E.L. Children viz:—

William, Henry, Jane, John Davis, Lewis—

Land petition in Ontario for Isaac (son of Peter) is dated
July 17, 1789, asked for full allowance 200 acres—there-
fore, he was 21 years old then.

Peter Asselstine, son of Peter Senior, and wife Susannah
Ball, married Jan. 1st, 1809. Children viz:—

Abraham, Nicholas, Peter, Justice, Jane.

John Asselstine (son of Peter Sr.) wife Mary Amey: Children
Margaret, Sarah, Levi, Elizabeth, Nicholas, Emily, Billings,
Jane.

Levi, Elizabeth and Nicholas died in infancy.

Miss Laura Esselstine of Los Angeles, California, is a descend-
ant of Billings Asselstine.

Michael Asselstine (son of Peter Sr.) wife Nancy Fraser their children:

Nancy born 1820; Isaac; Sara born 1824.
2nd and 3rd Generation of Peter Asselstine Sr. (U.E.L.)
Henry Asselstine and Sarah (Schmidt) children viz:—
William Lewis, born 5-15-1824; Benjamin Rachel; Isaac;
Richard born 8-7-1833; Mary Jane; Henry; Leonard; Peter
10-10-1842; John 1844; Simon 3-18-1846.

John Davis Asselstine, 1st wife Martha Chatterson, 2nd wife
Esther Foster, children viz:—

Electra Jane; Agnes; Hannah; Mary; Catharine; John
Wesley; Martha; Almeda; 1st wife's children.
2nd wife's children: James D.; Jessie; Francis; Florence;
Herbert; Nancy; Isaac Newton; George W.

Abraham Asselstine and Lucinda (Walker) children viz:—
Kilbourne; Tillison, Guy; May.

Isaac Asselstine and Minerva (Parrott) children viz:—
Michael; Henry; Johnathan; Eleanor.
(Michael Asselstine developed the Asselstine Woolen Mills,
Odessa, Ontario).

Nicholas Asselstine and Imanthy Ann Hunter, children, viz:—
Damen. Justice, Alfred, Rylmanson; John, Hannah;
Emma; Cassie; Ida; Henrietta.

Benjamin Asselstine married twice—Alysworth—sisters.
Children:—
David; Henry; Nancy; Hannah; Margaret; Georginnia;
Frances; David Perry; Marica; Hannah; Robert; Mary;
Helen.

This ends records of Descendants of Peter Asselstine
(Senior), U.E.L. in this Manuscript.

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN ASSELSTINE, Senior, U.E.L.

6th GENERATION

Born in America

Peter Jr. Asselstine (son of John Senior) married Barbara
Carr; Aug. 27th, 1809.

Children viz:—

Peter, William, John, Daniel, 4 daughters.
(John Asselstine of London, Ontario, is a descendant
of Daniel).

Andrew: (son of John Sr.) It is not known if he married.

Abraham: (son of John Sr.) married but his family and wife
unknown.

Isaac Asselstine (son of John Sr.) married Mary Barbara
Fraley.

Their children:

Jacob	—baptised 4-21-1805—	married Hannah Benn
Katy	— " 11- 7-1809—	" Florenz Benn
Nicholas	— " 8- 6-1807—	" (twice)
Benjamin	— " 3-23-1812—	" Charlotte Huff-
		man
Cyril	— " —	" Alice Clarke
Anne	— " —	" John Anderson
William C.	—born—Jan. 8, 1820—	" Catharine Moore
Elizabeth	—died at the age of 7 —	Nov. 26, 1830.



7th GENERATION

Jacob Asselstine (son of Isaac and Mary B.) married Hannah Benn.

Children: Ira, George, John, Isaac, Melissa, Hulda, Margaret, Elizabeth, Mary.

Nicholas Asselstine (son of Isaac and Mary B.) 1st wife Barbara Sieker

1 son Jacob

2nd wife of Nicholas, Margaret Empey—their children:—
Samuel, John, Sarah, Elizabeth, Emma.

(Samuel married: Almira Huffman—2 sons, Tillison, Isaac).

Benjamin Asselstine married Charlotte Huffman: children: Cyrus, Coleman, Wesley, Nicholas, Agnes, Olivia, Charlotte, Effie.

NOTE: (Agnes—married Ephriam Sweet,
(Olivia—married George Lampkin; children: Roy, Ruth.
(Effie—Married Everett VanLuven; children—Harry.

Cyril Asselstine married Alice Clark (and a 2nd wife) children: Matthew, Nicholas, Jane, Cynthia, Adelaide.

{ Nicholas, son of Cyril, taught school in Ernestown 40 years and his sons Claude, Oliver and Blake are teachers in High School of Ontario and Alberta, and Bert, an M.D., practiced in Vancouver, B.C. 4 Queen's University graduates and Robert on the old farm.

Ann Asselstine, married John Anderson: — 1 son, Luman (Luman Anderson's family—John and Frank, Annie, Ida, Charles, Elsie.
John and Frank are Queen's University graduates; Frank, M.D. in Ottawa, Ontario).

William C. Asselstine and Catharine Moore: children viz:—
(Married June 4th, 1845)

Oscar, born Dec. 10, 1846 — married Marian Loehhead.
Adelia—married Cyrus Asselstine.

Whitney, born Aug. 3rd, 1852—married Matilda Martin.
Ephie, born — — married 1st John Clark, 2nd Richard Hilbert.

Ordaeia—married James Weese.
William H., born Dec. 1860—married Amelia Dennison.

(Adelia Asselstine was a teacher in late 1800; about 1865 in schools of Ontario and Montana State; Catharine (Moore) died 12-4-1876; William C. died 3-10-1909. 1st daughter Mary Barbara died Jan. 26th, 1860—age 10 years, 5 months).

8th GENERATION

Whitney Asselstine and wife Matilda Martin: children viz:—
Eliza, Kate, May, Luella, Marguerite, Ephie, Adah William (dec.) Anita.

William H. Asselstine, married Amelia Dennison—children viz:—
Harold, Wilbert, Ross, Orris, Ivan, Alena, Laura.



Oscar Asselstine and wife Marion Lochhead; married March 24, 1870; children viz:—
Idalette — married Wesley McLaughlin (dec.)
Janette (Janet) — married Edward Nugent.
Kathryn — Unmarried.
Herbert (dec.) — married M. Wilkes.
William Oscar — married Rosmond Wartman.
Robert Whitney — married Cora Reid
Stanley M. — married Ilda Smallridge.
Oscar died April 10, 1942 — Marion Lochhead, born Aug. 7th, 1846. Died Feb. 6, 1923.

9th GENERATION

Herbert Asselstine — 2 sons, 4 daughters.
William O. Asselstine — 1 son Bertram; 2 daughters.
(Bert has 4 sons, 2 daughters)
Robert Asselstine — 2 sons Aubrey, John — 2 daughters.
Idalette (McLaughlin) (1 son, Franklin McLaughlin. 1 daughter Marion).
Janette (Nugent) 1 daughter: Bernice Nugent.
Bernice Nugent, teacher at Stanford Collegiate, Niagara Falls, Ontario.
John (son of Robert Asselstine and Cora (Reid) is an Automotive Engineer, with Ford Motor laboratories, Dearborn, Mich.

Stanley Asselstine M.D. and Ilda Smallridge:
1 son: William Harold Stanley, born March 31st, 1920.

10th GENERATION

Aubrey Asselstine and Iva McGregor: three daughters —
Joan, Judith and Jane.

John William Asselstine and Mary O'Neil — 1 son — Robert John; born Nov. 2, 1949.

William Harold Asselstine M.D. married Dixie Jean Andrews.
Their children: viz:

William Harold Stanley, born July 12, 1945.
Robert Warren, born May 12, 1947.
John Peter, born July 31, 1948.
Elizabeth Andrews, Susan Barbara, Mary Frances.

NOTE: Beginning with the 7th generation and to the 10th, are descendants of Isaac Asselstine and Mary Barbara (Fraley) only.

William C. Asselstine died March 10th, 1909.

Catharine (his wife) died Dec. 4th, 1878; age 53 yrs., 1 mo. 9 days.

Mary Barbara (his 1st daughter) died age 10 yrs., 1860.

They are buried in a "family cemetery" set aside on William C. Asselstine's old farm, and deeded to his grandsons.

Mary Barbara was 1st in the cemetery, Jan. 26th, 1860, 10 years, 5 mos. 7 days.

Oscar Asselstine and wife Marion are buried there. A hillside enclosure, in a secluded spot. Graves well marked.



COMMENTS BY THE WRITER

The late Mr. H. V. Esselsteyn of Hudson, N.Y., did much research on the genealogy of the Van Ysselsteyn family. His ancestor, Jacob; a grandson of the original Van Ysselsteyn in America, possessed the old farm of Marten Cornelisse Van Ysselsteyn at Clavarack which he inherited from Cornelise, oldest son of Marten. Mr. H. V. Esselsteyn and his ancestors having lived continuously in that area of Clavarack, N.Y., was living in an environment to hear family traditions, that were passed on to succeeding generations.

Mr. H. V. Esselsteyn records the following regarding Jacob, second son of Marten Cornelisse Van Ysselsteyn:

"Jacob, born in Clavarack, N.Y., about year 1675, and living there in 1699 married Cathalynta Van Dusen of Clavarack, N.Y., Dec. 5th, 1699. They had three sons and two daughters.

1. Marten, baptised at Kingston, N.Y., Aug. 11th, 1700.
2. Mattheus baptised in New York October 16th, 1715.
3. Isaac.
4. Helena baptised in New York March 28th, 1703.
5. Bata baptised in New York Dec. 26th, 1705.

The family tradition is that Jacob moved to Perth Amboy, N.J., early part of Eighteenth Century."

Placing Isaac as son of Jacob would seem to be from family tradition, as the baptismal record for him appears lost, but there is much to support the tradition. Jacob died early in N.J., his widow, Cathalynta Van Dusen, married in 1718 Captain Lambert Cool (Cole in English) and resided in or near Kingston, N.Y. The Van Ysselsteyn children of Jacob may have been reared among the Cool family after Jacob's death.

Isaac Esselstein and wife, Elizabeth (Keldar) family records are much associated with the Cool family, particu-

larly as sponsors at baptisms of their children and grandchildren.

It would seem logical that Isaac Esselstein, progenitor of the Vermont and Canadian branch, was the son of Jacob Ysselsteyn of New York and Perth Amboy, New Jersey. Jacob, the second son of Marten Cornelisse Van Ysselsteyn.

(Isaac, son of Cornelis Marten Van Ysselsteyn, died 1740 at Bethlehem, Pa., had only daughters as issue. This recording found in book, Crown Inn of Bethlehem, Pa.).

These are the only Isaac Esselsteyn of the early part of Eighteenth Century, it appears.

It has been said "He that careth not whence he cometh, careth not whither he goeth."

NOTES AND COMMENTS

The author had no knowledge of the fact that the brothers, Peter and John, had been with Gen. Hendrick Simmons on his trip from Claverack to Fort Gen. Burgoyne at Battenkill.

Now had he ever seen the Tombstone Susannah
 widow of Peter Baseline. The stone bears the
 following inscription:

Susannah Baseline died Feb. 20, 1844 aged

82 years William Martin

Erected by her son

The battle's fought

The victory won

She's left the field

Her work is done

She's numbered with the best

Rev Robert M'Donwells Marriage Register

has this entry

Jan 1, 1809 married

Peter Baseline & Susannah Ball, both of
 Ennetstown

Her husband, Amos Martin, returned to U.S.A. in
 1807.

The Warden's Records of St. John's Church, Bath, records that the Easter offering was given to her son, William Martin, for charitable purposes.



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St John

John Freeman + family

Simmons

Chambly.

Sorel

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Bath to Bridge

on to Watertown

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Herkimer

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2d day

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Lake George

Robt Rogers

over.

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Fort & Museum

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1834

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 1774 Margaret 50
 1784 Margaret Jr 20
 1814 Henry 23
 1811 James 25
 1799 Mary 27

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~~Kilbrannigan~~ Ireland

Parish of Ballygaghra, P. reg. Quebec
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 Mary 36
 Nancy 9
 Martha 7
 Jane 3
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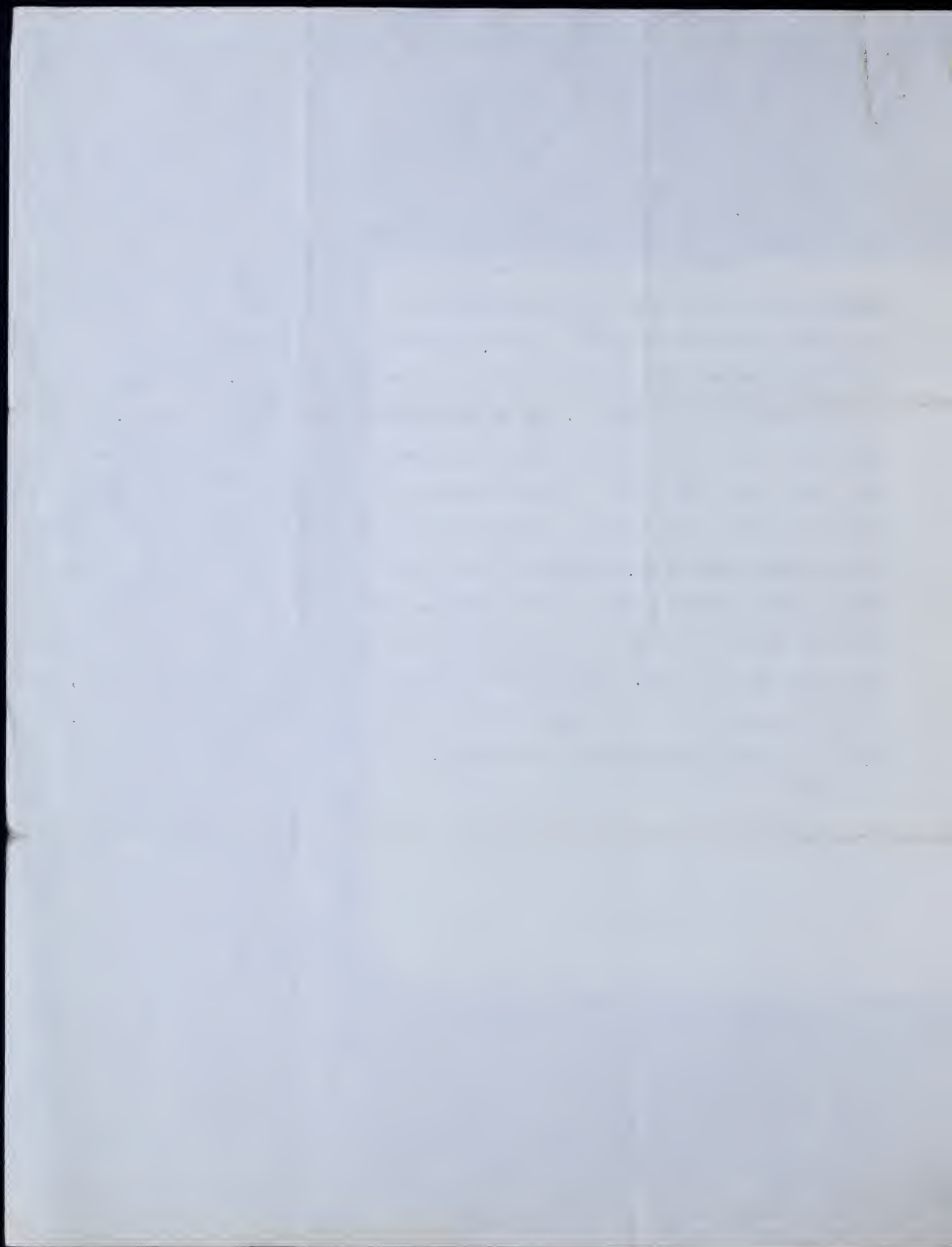
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Bath, Ontario.

Dr. Burleigh;

Thank you very much for your reply of 8 Sept./74, re the family tree status. From an elimination point of view, at least I know the details of your research, and am quite satisfied "therewith", so I'll see what the 1851 census report of Ernestown may show. Your story re Susannah Ball and Peter A. was a very interesting feature as well. With regard to Jemima, I have written to Edmonton, as per your suggestion. I may have looked at a report for Napanee or Richmond Twsp. in respect to her, 2 or 3 years ago, but some of them are missing, so I cannot recall what I may or may not have found at that time. I should have another look at those reports (1851), but I will see later. I could not find Peter on either of those same ones, so here's hoping he was in Ernestown at that time. It will be a little while before I get that film, but if I get results that appear valid or feasible, I shall let you know. Your assistance is very much appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

A. I. Asselstine



who is Sus d 16-8-1861 as 67-4-18 1861
= Catherine d. 22-5-44 as 38-8-10
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= Catharine d. 18-12-75, as 50-2-0
Janes wife Field Fraser d 6-4-88 as 86-3-19

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(b. Jul 23 1768) em.
(d. Jul 29 1805) em.
→ son Peter Wt.

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(d. Sep 6 1849) Jcc
= m. after 1787
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Dany dau Peter Wt.
(d. June 3 1838) Jcc

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b. 25 Mar 1802
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= 2 Peter Foster
2 Henry
3 Sarah
4 Jane
5 Isaac Fraser
6 William?

Elizabeth Margaret
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(d. Aug. 16, 1861)
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= Paul
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Nicholas Dany
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Jacob Asseblum 1805-1865

~~Hannah~~ Asseblum ^{hus.} 1806-1900 (bp ^{had} 10.8.1806)

171 Isaac Asseblum 1842-1916

Geo. Langdon 1858-1929

190 Olivia Asseblum 1861-19..

Wesley a Potter 1854-1940

Cornelia ^{had} 2. Asseblum 1867-19—



Peter = Christina
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b. 21.7.1768
d. 29.7.1805
UC

John = Mary
b 23.7.1789
d 30.6.1858
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d. 18.8.1848
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Margaret
b 20.9.1812
d 17.10.1835
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Isaac = Mrs
b
d 6.9.1848
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Michael = Jane Ann
b 1847
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Chatterton
b. 1847
d. 1923

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b. 18.12.1801
z Richard
Fraser

Nicholas = Margaret
b 6.8.1807
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d 3.6.1867

Cyrus G.
b. 11.1.1818
d 15.9.1899
= Alice Olga
b Oct 1825
d 18.12.1875

George
b 29.3.1811
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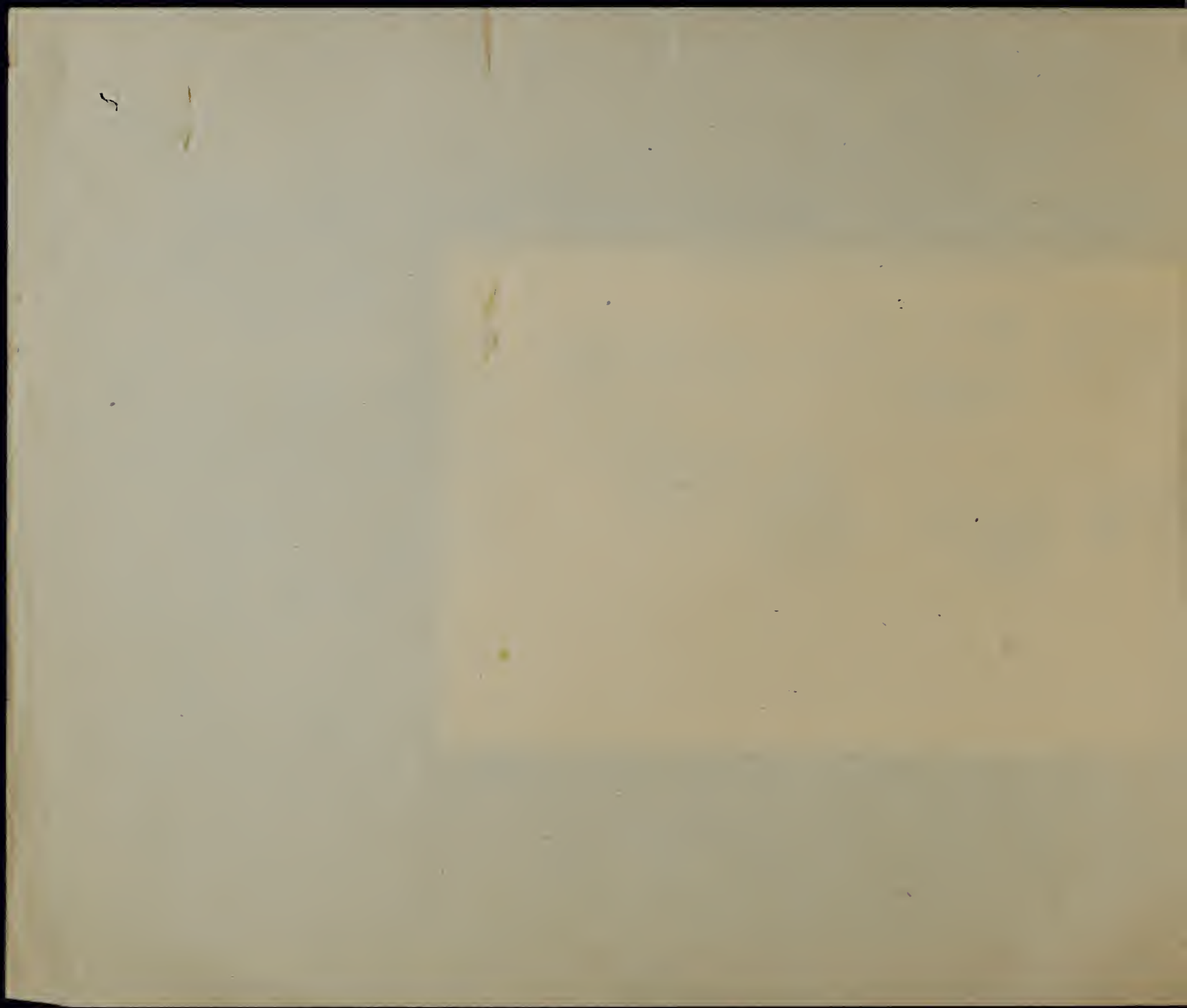
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= Isabelle Smith
b. 8.4.1848
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= Grace Smith
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= Ann
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Jacob B
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d 1882
= Anna E
Thompson
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180 Bowen(5)(Job 4, Job 3, Philip 2, Arthur 1), born probably in the year 1793, perhaps in the vicinity of Albany, N.Y., and married in 1821, a widow, Mrs. Sophia (Brass) Vannorman. She had two children by her first husband, Maria, who married an Asselstine John.

H was a blacksmith, and dwelt two miles east of Odessa, Ont. She died of Asiatic cholera in July, 1854.

184 Rufus(5) (Job 4, Job 3, Philip 2, Arthur 1), born 1811, and married in 1838, Mary Hawley, who was born in 1814. They dwelt in the Township of Portland, and afterwards in the Township of Hinchinbrook, Ont., with post office of Godfrey.

1. Sarah(6), born 1839, married Rufus Jackson.
2. William(6), born 1841
3. Mary Ann(6), born 1842, married Richard Boughton(Botting).
4. Fanny Jane(6), born 1845, married John Asselstine.
5. Davis(6), born 1847.
6. James(6), born 1848, married Ida Carter.
7. John Spike(6), born 1850.
8. Amanda(6), born 1852.
9. Clarinda(6), born 1855, married Aurelius Snider.
10. Aaron(6), born 1857.
11. Charles Thomas(6), born 1859.

189 David(5) (Bowen 4, Job 3, Philip 2, Arthur 1), born Nov. 17, 1801, married May 19, 1825, Nancy, born March 8, 1808, daughter of Isaac and Nancy (Sterling) Fraser, of Ernesttown, in which town they dwelt. She died Aug. 26, 1882.

481 1 Peter Perry

482 2 Hannah Elizabeth(6), born Sept. 11, 1827, married Benjamin Asselstine; dwelt in Kingston.

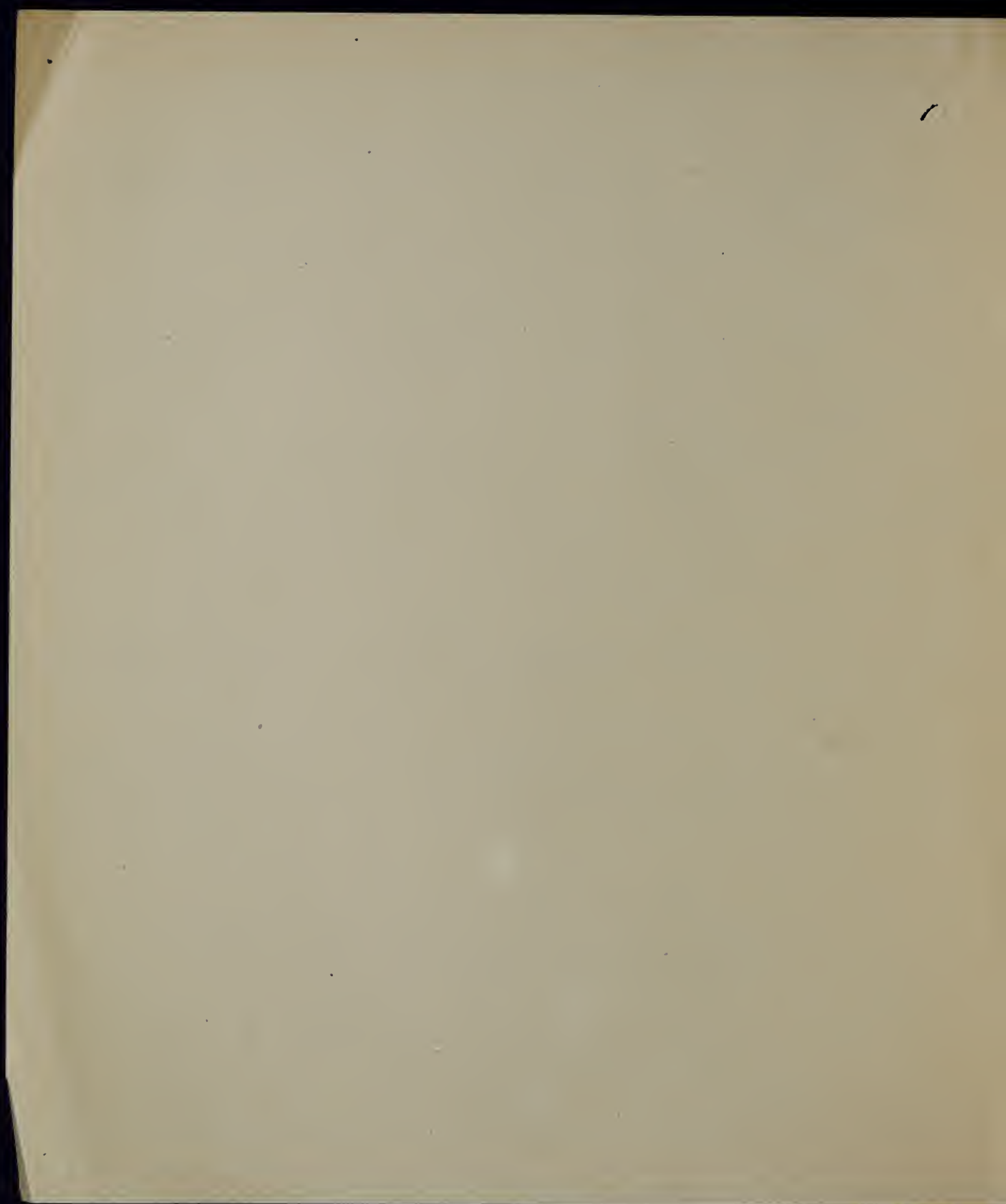
485 5 Mary Jemima(6), born July 22, 1833, married Benjamin Asselstine: dwelt in Kingston.

~~Aylesworth Family Resurrection.~~

~~Present~~ Children of Benjamin Asselstine and Hannah Elizabeth Aylesworth.

~~xx~~ He was a carpenter, and they dwelt in Kingston, Ont., where she died May 31, 1858.

1. David Aylsworth(7), born Dec. 31, 1853, died June 7, 1857.
2. Henry Amey(7), born Dec. 31, 1853, graduated at Queen's University.
3. Nancy Emma Victoria(7), born November, 1855.
4. Hannah Elizabeth, born May, 1858; died Nov. 25, 1858.



Fraser File.

Asselstine.

Catherine, daughter of Isaac Fraser and Hannah Staring, born October 22, 1802,
and baptized by Rev. Robert McDowall Nov. 14, 1802.

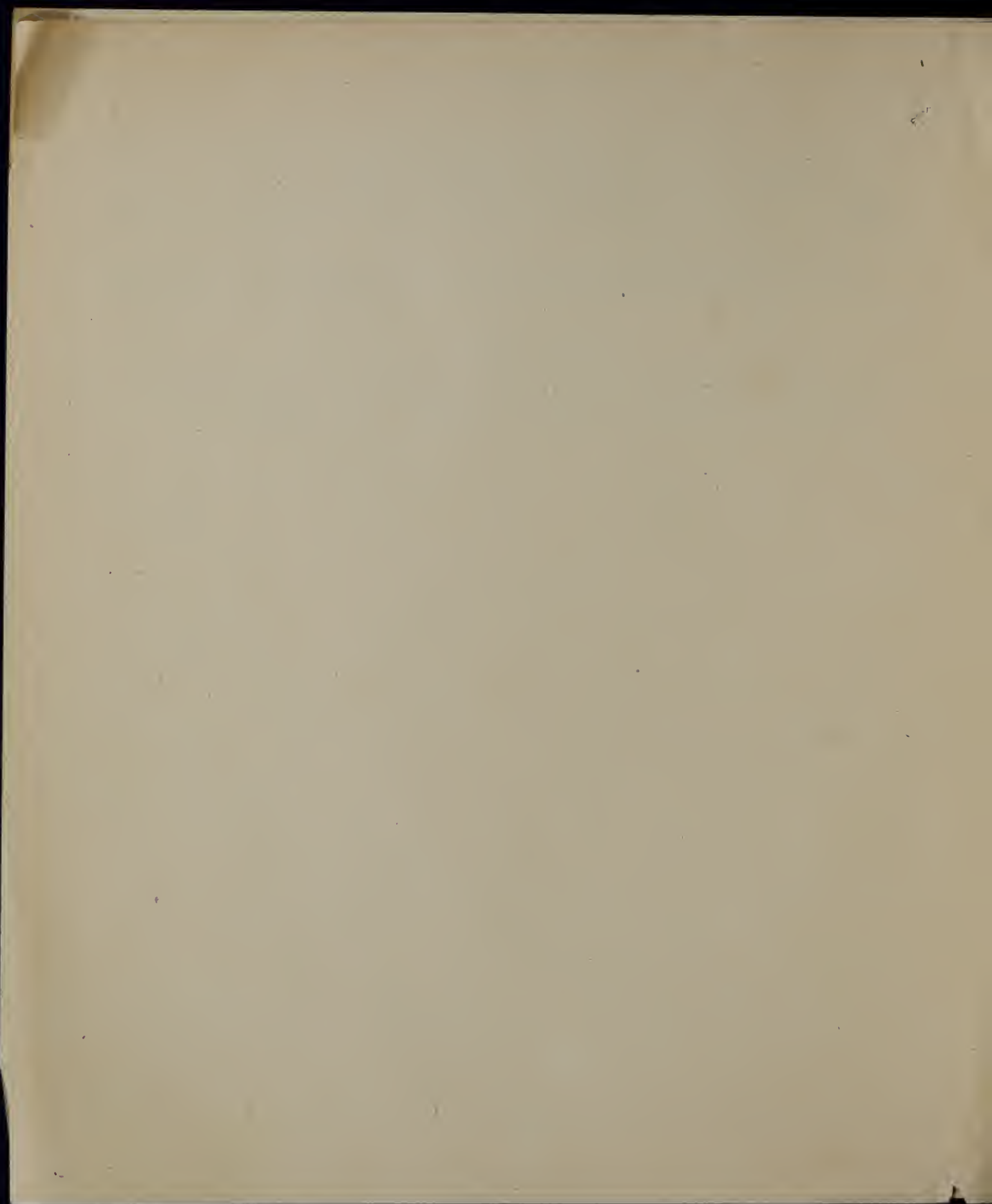
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Michael Asselstine, of Ernesttown, married to Catherine Fraser, of the same
place, 7 Nov., 1819.

Their daughter Nancy, was baptized by Rev. Robert McDowall in August, 1820

Fellows Cemetery.

Jane Asselstine, wife of Richard Fraser, died Apr. 6, 1888, aged 86 yrs, 3 mos.
19 days. He died Apr. 19, 1860, aged 57 yrs. 7 mos. 13 days.



Asselstine

Scrabbled notes

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Asselstine = Amey

daughter
named Sally
= an Emery

Billings Asselstine = ~~Emery~~ Huffman
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1827-90

Miss Laura Esseltine
4455 Victoria Park Drive
Los Angeles, Calif.

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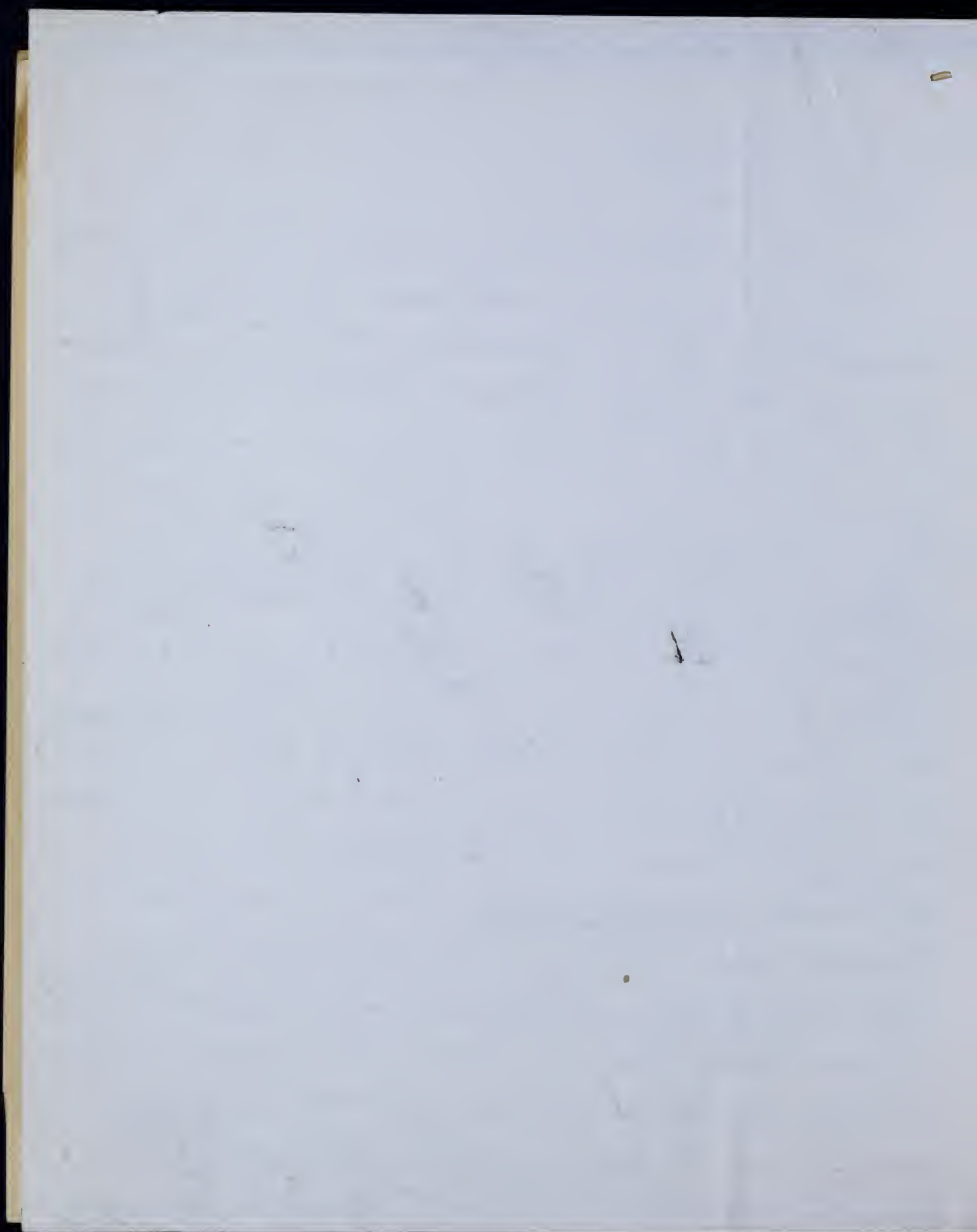
Letter to Miss K. Asselstine 1684 Pelissier
Street, Windsor, Ont. She is a sister of
Mrs. Edward Nugent of Newburgh.

H. C. BURLEIGH, M. D., C. M.
NEWTON FALLS, N.Y.

74 E. 11th ave. W. apt 4
Windsor, March 22/50

Mr. H. C. Burleigh
Bath, Ont.

Dear Doctor Burleigh: - In 1946 I received
a letter from you with some inquiries re:
Asselstines and I replied Nov 27th 1946.
Since that date I filed in Ontario Archives of
"Records & Papers" a manuscript on the Asselstines
from 1649 to 1949 in America. A point I'd
like to clarify ^{Now} is viz: the Surname ^{name} of 3rd wife
of John Asselstine Sr. ^{John} born 1746 in Columbia Co. N.Y. In
his will of 18th ~~18~~ ¹⁹ he names his ^{wife} as "Susannah". We
know his 1st wife was Catharine, & 2nd wife was
Marie Langlois married at Quebec 1784 ^{I have a photo of Marie}. In your
letter you state Peter Asselstine Sr. 1st wife was Christine
(Davy) & 2nd Susannah Ball but according to
McDonnell's marriage Records Peter Jr. (son of Peter &
Christina) married Susannah Ball Jan^y 1st 1809. &
Peter son of John (Senior) married Barbara Carr Aug. 27th 1809.
So I am thinking there is an error in your record and I am
of the opinion that Susannah widow of A. nos Martin
probably was the Susannah 3rd wife of John ^{Asselstine} Senior.
Have you any data to clarify this point, re: John Asselstine ^{2nd marriage} Senior.



another point in favor of Peter, Senior's earlier marriage than ^{wife} Christine, is that Isaac (son of Peter Sr.) married Hannah Davy sister of Christine, as both Hannah & Christine received land grants as daughters of Peter Davy W.E.L. a Bath Ont. settler; and Isaac would not be marrying his Aunt, I assume. It's fun to untangle the riddle of the Early generations and I've found a "tie up" with many families I never knew of before.

Some of Peter Senior's descendants who returned to U.S.A. & now in N.Y. & New Jersey States, have taken on ^{N.Y. Dutch 1700} old spelling, Van Esselsteyn & Van Asselsteyn. In 1648 N.Y. the old ^{Dutch} spelling of Van Asselsteyn is used, but ^{more} modern Dutch used letter I instead of V. I recently corresponded with a Miss Van Asselsteyn of N.Jersey whose grandfather was born in Kingston Ont. a descendant of Isaac and Hannah (Davy) Asselstine. I helped her straighten out her Canadian lineage, she gave me enough clues.

Please send me if you can re: Susannah ^{3rd} wife of my great great grandpa John Sr. W.E.L. Amos Martin Senior's wife would likely be near age of John Senior. I have copy of his will in which he names Susannah as wife. Surviving him. Sincerely. Kathryn Asselstine (over)

P.S. Some 7 or 8 yrs ago I interviewed an old
lady grand daughter of Peter Jr. (son of Peter Sr.) and
she said her grandmother was Susannah (Bald)

P.A.

Comments re: Asselstine records

You mention Susannah Ball as widow of Amos Martin; In church records it is ——— 21
"Peter Asselstine^{Jr} & Susannah Ball married Jan. 1st 1809
If she were then widow of Amos Martin her name would
be Susannah Martin. (Could it be Peter^{Jr} died & ^{her} 2nd Husband
Amos Martin) or was John Senior's 3rd Wife the
widow of Amos Martin, & prior^{also a} Susannah Ball. (First
names are repeated so often in each generation; for
instance, Loyalist Peter & John and each of their brothers
named a son Isaac & each a dau. Elizabeth, after their parents.
That was a Dutch routine in naming (thus 5th Isaac & 5th Elizabeth
in the 2nd generation) Beside Peter Senior's Isaac & John Senior's Isaac
in Upper Canada, a son of Conrad Asselstine also an Isaac
came to Ontario (then Upper Canada) and part of that Isaac's
family trekked on to Michigan U.S.A. We are unable to
trace all his sons, but believe a branch who 50 yrs ago lived
in Roblin Ont. were descendants of Conrad's Isaac. My
grandpa William, said he did ^{not} know of what line they were
(the Roblin Asselstines) or that they were related in any way; but
from studies I know that any Asselstine, Esselstagn or Isaelstyn
are of the line some where, if it could be traced far
enough; (whether we like or dislike them).

I hope to get the Verona Asselstine line straightened as
to which branch they belong; viz Peter Senior of John Sr. line.

? ^{Who} son is Isaac A. married Mary Kellar March 20-1820??
(An Isaac A. son of Abraham served in War of 1812. The question is: Is
he son of my ^{grandpa} John Senior's ^{son} Abraham, or of John Senior's brother
Abraham who settled in 1788 in Lower Quebec? ?? (over) 20

? whose son was Bocin Asselotne who married Sophia ^{Hammond} ~~Hammond~~
Aug 2-nd 1821 ? ? per church records

Can you help ? also Can you help re:
Martin Family. My ^{maternal} Grandmother name was Martine. Mother used to
speak of uncle Amos Martin + her uncle William Martin. I believe the
Martins were of Dutch origin + Dutch spelling Maerten.

U. S. L. Rolls

Arrelstine

Descendants

Arrelstine, Isaac, son of Peter M.D.
Christian, daughter of Peter Dwyer, M.D.
Hannah " " " "

General Return of Refugee Loyalists Exclusive of
those Quartered and Residing at the Upper Posts
late in 1783?

Peter Arrelstine 1 New York Farmer, leased land.
John Arrelstine 1 do do do

Census of 1851.

Ernesttown Township

Davis Arrelstine's Mill

This mill cost about \$250 and will saw about
250,000 feet of lumber a year.

Frederickburgh Township

Isaac Arrelstine born in U.S., Episcopal Meth.
aged 76 years next birthday

"E" Series

Warrent Land Book

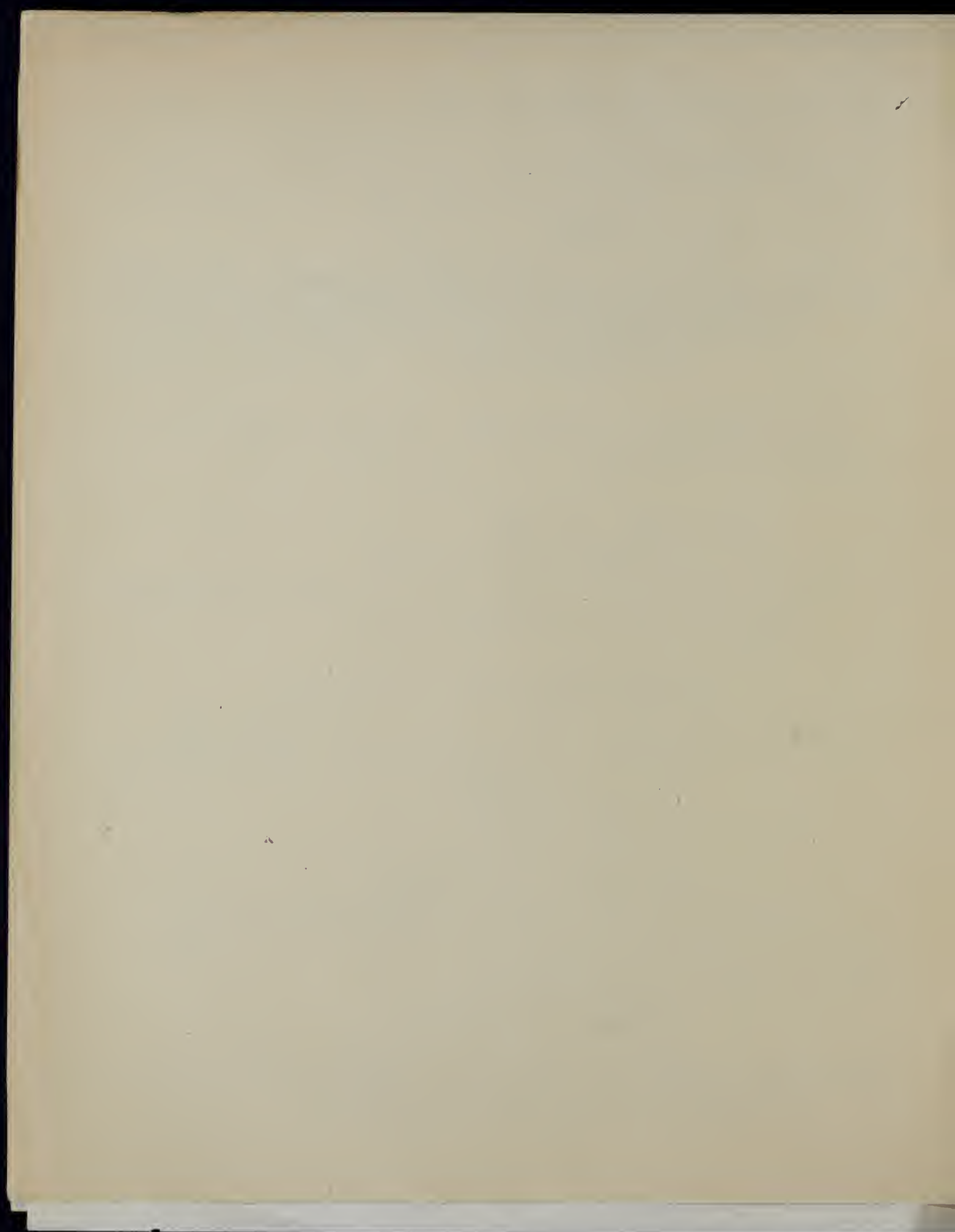
Sons & daughters of U. S. between 1811 and 1846

Andrew Arrelstine, Ernest town, yeoman, son of John.

Wilton Cemetery

Susannah Arrelstine, died Feb. 20, 1844, aged 82 years.

Erected by her son William Martin.



57 Ann

58 Martha

21 Jos Davis = 29 Esther Foster

59 Jas D b. 1852

60 Herbert P b. 1861

61 Isaac Newton b. 1863

62 Geo. W. b. 1863

63 Jessie Ellen

64 Frances M

65 Florence E

66 Nancy Eliza

33 Isaac = Mervia Parrott

67 Michael (of wooden mills) = Jane Ann Chatterton

~~68~~ 68 Frances (present owner)

69 Henry

70 Jonathan

71 Eleanor

37 Benjamin = 1^o Hannah Cylesworth 2^o Mary J Cylesworth

72 David A d. y. 1857

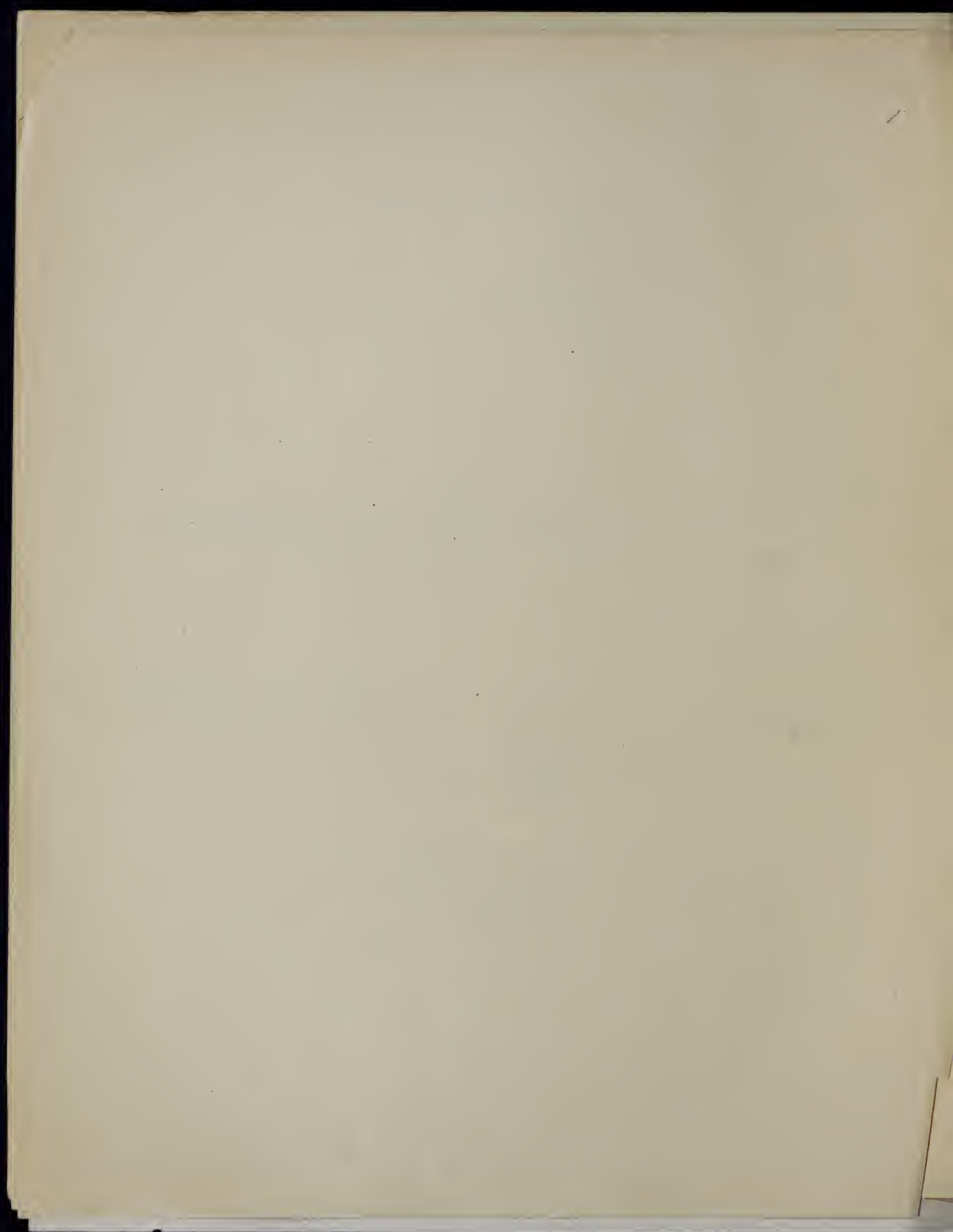
72 Henry Amey b. Dec-3-1853

73 Nancy

74 Hannah

75 Robert W b. Dec 24 1869

76 more daughters.



1 John Asselstine U.S. bp. Germantown Reform Ch., Columbia Co. N.Y.

31 Jan 1748

= 1st Katherine

2 Isaac² bp. Cloverack Dutch Reform Ch., Columbia Co. Apr 1, 1771

3. Abraham² bp. 13 July 1771

Both were granted lots in King Tp., York Co.

Isaac bought Abrahams lot & held both till 1840 when he sold to Geo. Hambly. Isaac then bought land on Bay Bay.

Isaac = Mary Barbara Traligh, dau Jacob & Anna

4. Jacob³ = Hannah Benn (see his family list)

5. Nicholas³ = 1st Barbara Secker 2^d Margaret Empery

6. Cyril³ = Alice Clark (buried at Violet)

7. Benjamin³ = Charlotte Huffman

8. William³ = Katherine Moore (grandparents of Miss A.)

9. Katie³ = Florenz Benn

10. Elizabeth³ d. at 7 yrs

11. Anna - Mrs Anderson (she d. young)

One son Herman A of Napanee (now dead)

Abraham =

descendants unknown

= 2nd Mary Langlois (mar. in Quebec before 1784)

12 Peter² = Barbara Carr, (dau of Daniel) Aug 27 1809 in

Emmellown. (he. bp. 18-1-1789)

13 John (? Vet. of 1837-38?)

14 Daniel (? Vet of 1837-38?)

15 William

16 dau

17. dau

18 dau

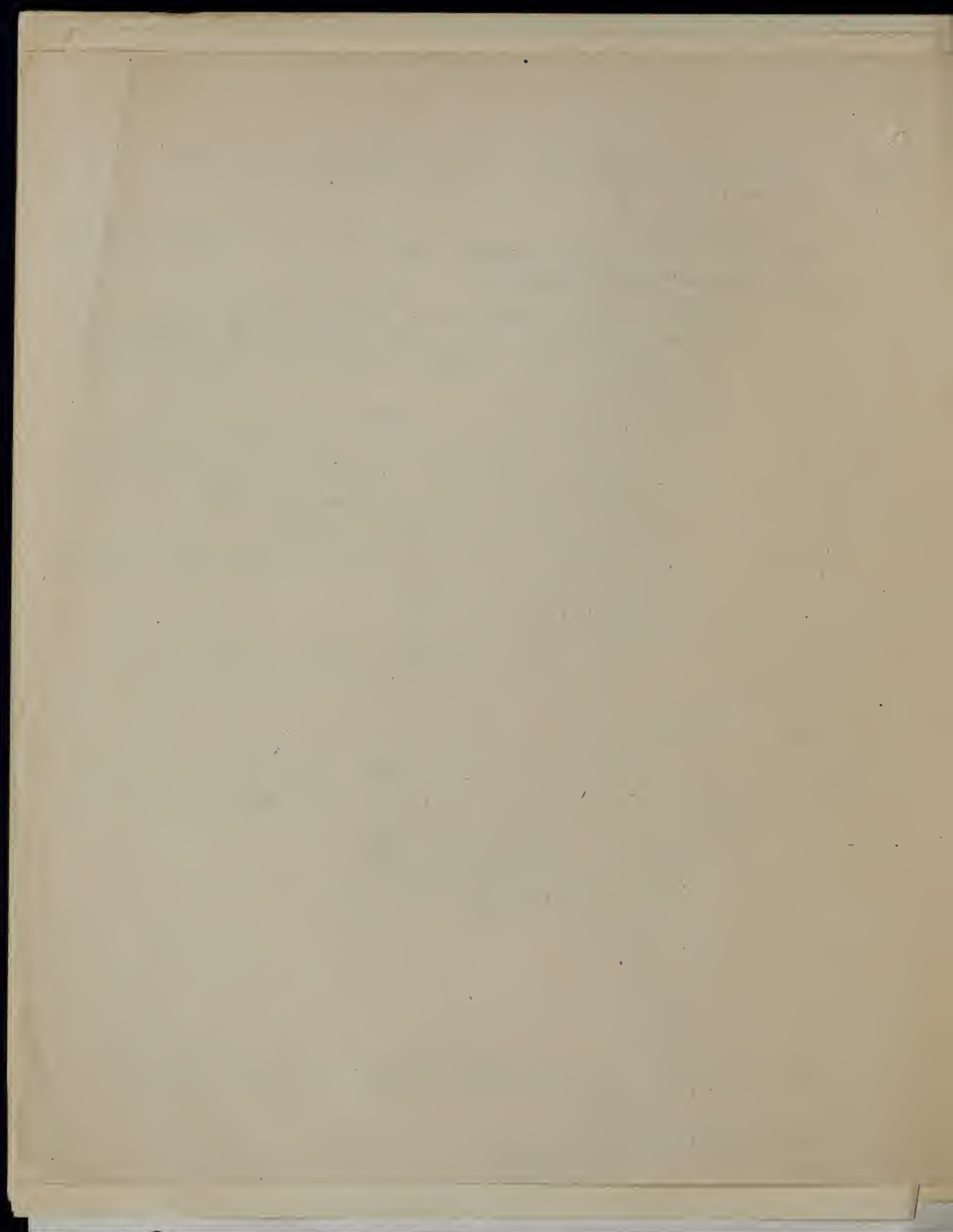
19 dau

20 Andrew (son of 2^d wife Mary or 3rd wife Susannah

no record.

21 Elizabeth

22. Jenny (bp. 28-8-1792)



- 27 Levi d.y
- 28 Elizabeth d.y
- 29 Nicholas d.y.
- 30 Emily = Francis Empey
- 31 Bellings = Lizabetha Huffman
- 32 Eleanor Jane b. 2-22-1834; d. 3-9-1921

5 Michael = 7 Nov 1819 Nancy Fraser
 33 Isaac mar Minerva Parrott (Woolen Mills owner)

34 Nancy b. 1820

35 Sarah b. 1824

22 Henry A = Sarah (He built most of early homes of Kingston)
 (Isaac's Peltier)

36 Wm Lewis b. 5-15-1824

37 Benjamin b. 5-21-1826 = 1st Hannah Aylesworth 2nd Mary Aylesworth

38 Isaac b. 4-15-1830

39 Richard b. Aug 7 1833

40 Mary Jane b. 1836

41 Henry b. 1838

42 Leonard b. 1840

43 Peter b. 1842

44 John b. 1844

45 Simon b. 1846

21 Jno Davis = Martha Chatterson

46 Jno Wesley b. 1847

47 Eliza Jane b. 1840

48 Agnes b. 1842

49 Hannah b. 1843

50 Mary b. 1844

51 Catherine b. 1845

52 Martha b. 1848

53 Almada b. 1850

24? William?

54 Nance

55 Billy Fred

56 Marie



Asselatine

Violet Cyrus J. 1-11-18: 9-15-94 = Alice Eliza 10-?-25: 12-18-75

Nicholas A.
5-15-48: 5-11-1925

= Isabella Smith
4-8-48: 1-21-1929

= Grace Smith
10-2-55: 11-18-94

Proctor Arnold
11-8-94: 1-24-95

Bath United

Geo
3-29-1794: 8-16-61

= Catherine
9-12-05: 5-22-44

? = Ruth B.
10-2-36: 3-2-58

Ruth B.
2-25-58: 8-11-58

Bath Angl

Susie Campion 1851-1926

Ernest

Perry = Hannah E. Dylsworth
9-11-28: 5-31-59

P. H. 1742 - 5-15-26 = Christine Dwyer 1752-7-29-05

Jno 7-23-1788: 6-30-58 = Mary (Anna) : 8-18-48

Margt 11-20-12: 10-17-35

Michael 1846-1897 = Jane Ann Chatterton 1847-1923

Cloves Redhaby.

Isaac 1778-6-25-60 = Mary B 1786: 4-11-49

Nicholas = Mary B - 5-1785: 9-3-11



Orrelstine

1. Peter = Susanna Ball

Peter = Barbara Carr

Michael
1819
1820-1-4-5
SW. Mass.
to Bath

John = Jane Orrelstine

John = Mary Amey

Margaret
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Sarah
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Anthony = Catherine

Peter
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rem. hds.

Michael = Catherine Mason

Isaac
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hds up U.S.L.
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Richard = Christian

Nancy
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Christian
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hds up U.S.L.

A. alias Davy

Isaac = Mary Toller

John
1797
family
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Isaac = Hannah Davy

Brook Orrelstine = Sophia Harmon

John Davy
1802

Isaac = Mary Barbara

of 3

Jacob 1800 Nicholas 1801 Katy 1809 Benjamin 1812

? = Mary
1830 Barbara Eichen

Isaac

William C =
1821-1909

Whitney Oscar Wm Mrs Wm Mrs Clark Delia

Geo = Anne
of Hawley 1831-1910

= Erben
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of Richmond

Sylvester = Martha Darnison
of Moscow -1915

Mrs W.A. Potter

Robert
of Moscow

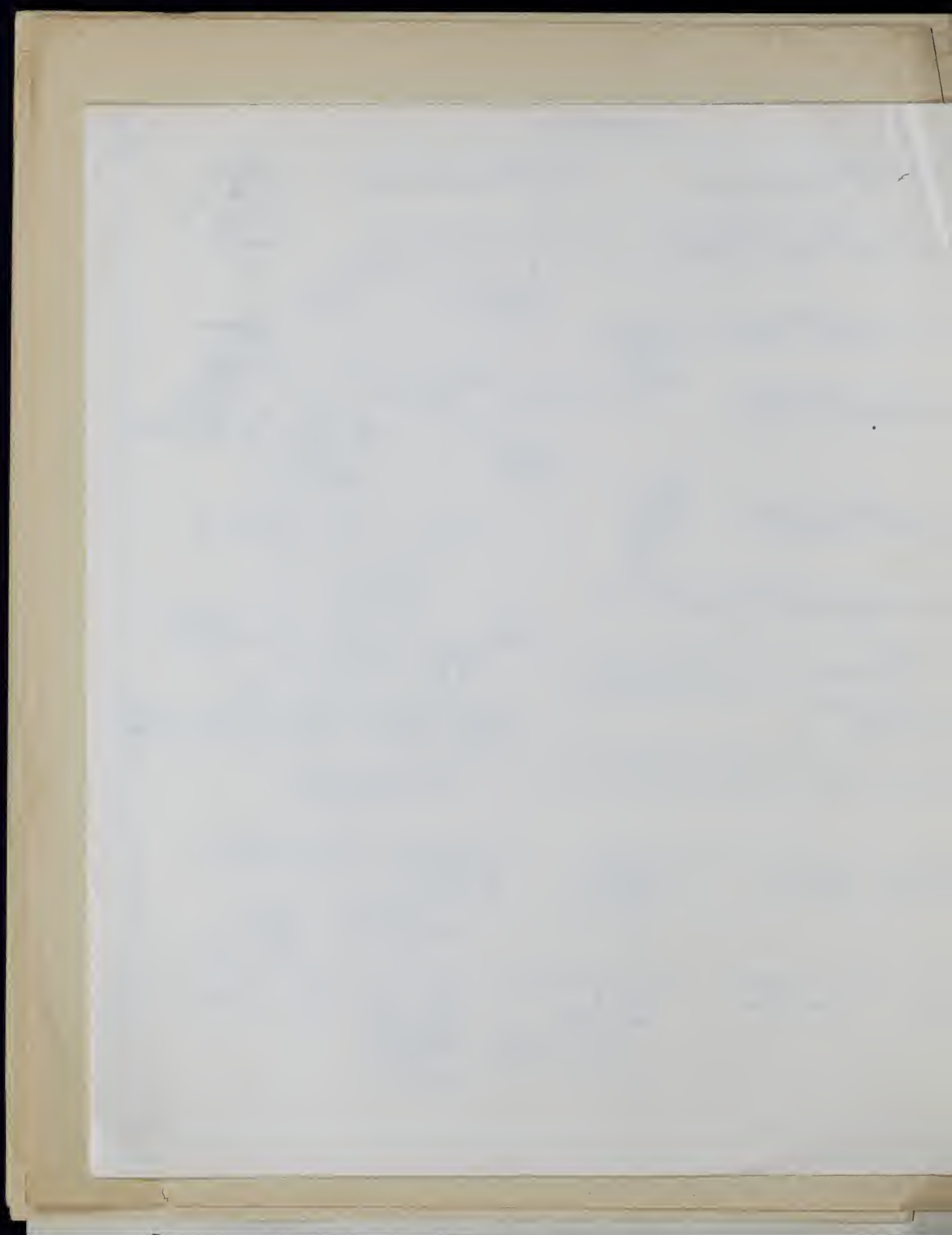
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Danise Nicholas
of S.F.
1840-1918

Mrs Edan Ugar 1878

Maurice H.
of Minneapolis
1833-1908
as 20
bur. Moscow

Adah Tillotson Isaac



11. John 1791 Pat. for family lds.

12. Jno. Watson = 1810 Jane Asselstine

13 Anthony Dennee = 1816 Catharine A.

14 Richard Lesart = 1818 Christian A.

15 Michael = 1819 Catharine Graser (40 A.F. + A.M 1819-25 Bath)

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Nancy
1820.

16 Isaac A = 3.20.1820 Mary Keller (needing)

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17 Boon A = 5.7.1821 Sophia Hammond

18 Cyrus J. A 1.11.1818: 9.15.1894 = Alice Eliza 10.2.1825: 12.18.1875 (violet)

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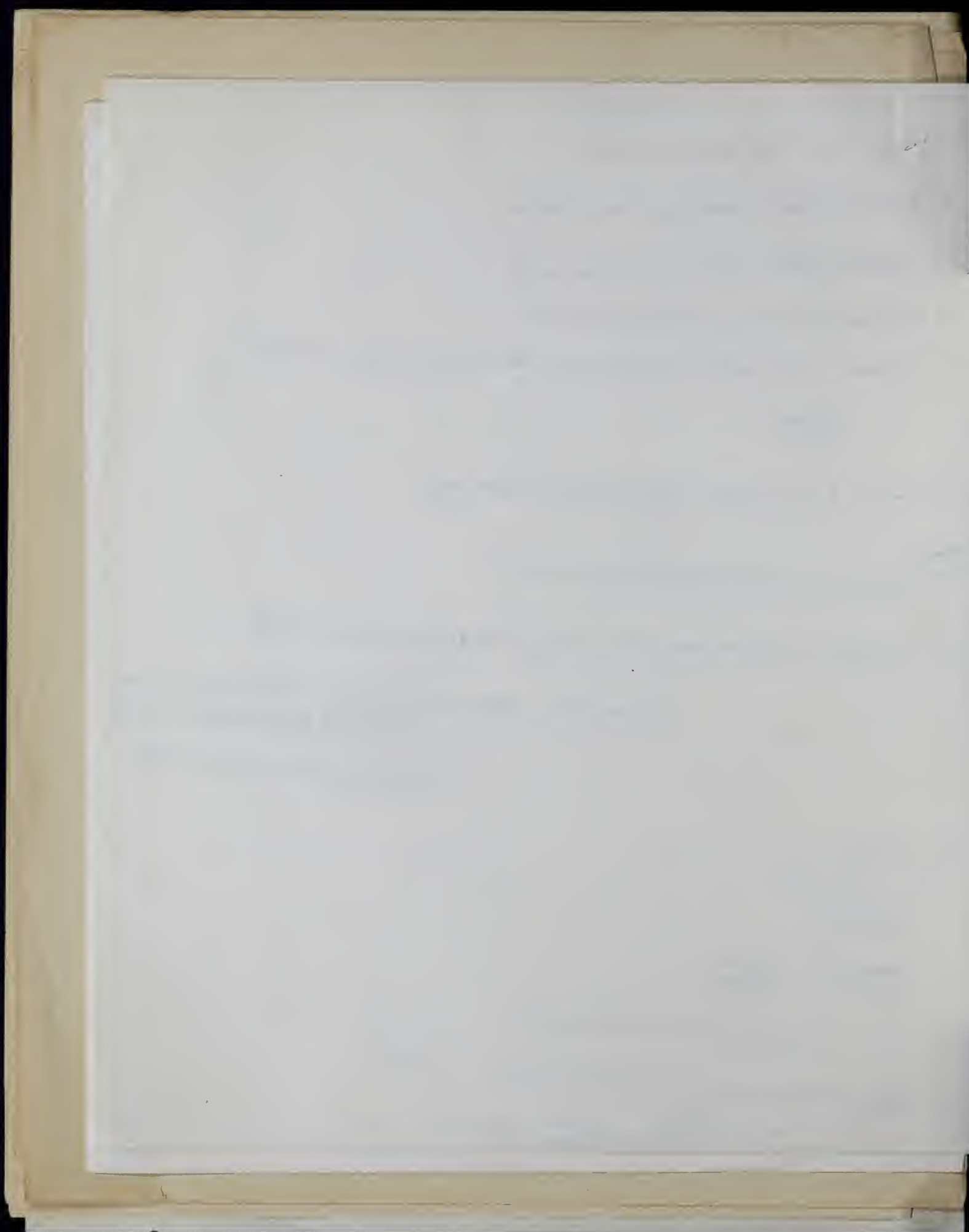
19 Isaac

Wm C
1851-1909

19 George A = Anne
of Hawley 1831-1910

20 — = Esther (of Richmond) 1823-1913

21 Sylvester of Moscow = Martha Denison — 1915
Mr W A Potter Robert of Moscow
Mrs Carl Chapman



165 Earl Street
Riverton
Oct 7th

Dear Dr. Burleigh

You were good enough
today you would get some
information about the descent
of Michael Assestine for me.

As I may not be able to go
to Bath, I would be much
obliged if you would mail
it to me. With thanks

Sincerely yours

A. M. Going 35-



Asselstine

Michael Asselstine

of Asselstines mill

Wm =

died back of Bedford
 buried in at 100
 Mary Ann Geo Will Fred Hase
 - Geo Reynolds 1st wife was Puritch
 for 2d wife 3d " " Davey

Sperry Fred
 = Clark
 of Pelworth

♀ ♂ ♀ ♂
 37 38 31
 of late

M. A. Brooks

1 dau

They, Geo. Reynolds, lived on old Mike
 Percy Farm on Bellrock Road.

After Mike died his son Wm took farm
 over. Stewart, a son, sold part (60 acres)
 to Dan York, & will put the rest
 away
 When Mike was alive Frank was living
 with him as a boy. The old man
 would harness over to get boys ready
 to work
 He gained his sight before death after
 being blind for a long time

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

MEMORANDUM:

Langhorn Register

Asaelstine

Baptisms, St. Johns.

59a

1	John. son of	Peter + Christine Asaelstine	2	bapt	Aug. 31, 1788
2	Peter	John + Marie Suettle ..	2		Jan. 18. 1789
3	Michael	Peter + Christine ..	2		June 20. 1790
4	Henry	"	2		Aug. 12. 1792
5	Finney son ..	John + Marie Suettle ..	2		Aug. 28. 1792
6	Mary	"	2		May. 18. 1794
7	Finney	Isaac + Hannah ..	2		May 15. 1803
8	Daniel John son	"	2		July 5. 1805
9	Geo. Wm. Davy ..	"	2		Feb. 28. 1808

Burials, St. Johns

15	Henry. son of	Petrus + Christeen Asaelstine	2		Mar. 24. 1793
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Marriages, St. Johns.

26	Isaac Ecclestons wits.	Hofman - Moore marr.	2		Aug 28. 1792
34	Paul Egnier, Margret E. Asaelstine A.D.				Feb. 26. 1812
63	Isaac Vallentine wits	Reynolds - Wright marr			Apr. 16. 1792
64	Margret Favelstone wits	Oliver - Woodcock marr			Jul. 5. 1802
..	John Woodcock 3, Mary Cravelstone, 3				Oct 4. 1802

McDowall

see p. 30

Lutheran

see p. 3

Vestry Book, St. Johns Church Bath

Emesttown Sept 25. 1806

Offering none^{??} - 14/9 was by consent given to the relief
of William Martin.



Aylsworth Genealogy.

See Aylsworth File

184 Rufus (5)(Job 4, Job 3, Philip 2, Arthur 1), b. 1811, & marr. in 1838, Mary Hawley, who was b. in 1814. They dwelt in the Township of Portland, & afterwards in the Township of Hinchinbrook, Ont., with post office of Godfrey.

Children:

1. Sarah (6), b. 1839, marr. Rufus Jackson.
2. William (6), b. 1841.
3. Mary Ann (6), b. 1842, marr. Richard Boughton (Botting).
4. Fanny Jane (6), b. 1845, marr. John Asselstine. (a quo Sam et al).
5. Davis (6), b. 1847.
6. James (6), b. 1848, marr. Ida Carter.
7. John Spike (6), b. 1850.
8. Amanda (6), b. 1852.
9. Clarinda (6), b. 1855, marr. Aurelius Snider.
10. Aaron (6), b. 1857.
11. (6), Charles Thomas (6), b. 1859. (of Picadilly).

189 David (5)(Bowen 4, Job 3, Philip 2, Arthur 1), b. Nov. 17, 1801, marr. Mayy 19, 1825, Nancy, b. March 8, 1808, dau. of Isaac & Nancy (Sterling) Fraser, of Ernesttown, in which township they dwelt. She d. Aug. 26, 1882.

481 Peter Perry

482 2. Hannah Elizabeth (6), b. Sept. 11, 1827, m. Benjamin Asselstine; dwelt in Kingston, Ont.

483 3 Margaret Nancy

484 4 Isaac Fraser

485 5 Mary Jemima (6), b. July 22, 1833, marr. Benjamin Asselstine; dwelt in Kingston, Ont.

482 Hannah Elizabeth (6)(David 5, Bowen 4, Job 3, Philip 2, Arthur 1), was born Sept. 11, 1827, and marr. Benjamin Asselstine. He was a carpenter, & they dwelt in Kingston, where she died May 31, 1868.

Children:

- 139 1. David Aylsworth (7), b. Dec. 31, 1853, died June 7, 1857.
- 140 2. Henry Amey (7), b. Dec. 31, 1853; graduated at Queen's University.
- 141 3. Nancy Emma Victoria (7), b. November, 1855.
- 142 4. Hannah Elizabeth (7), b. May, 1858; d. Nov. 25, 1858.

485 Mary Jemima (6)(David 5, Bowen 4, Job 3, Philip 2, Arthur 1), was born July 22, 1833, and marr. Benjamin Asselstine. He was a carpenter, and they dwelt in Kingston, Ont.

Children

1. Margaret Eleanor (7), b. May 23, 1860.
2. Georgianna (7), b. Dec. 4, 1861.
3. Frances Adelaide (7), b. Sept. 23, 1863, (m. Albert Graham).
4. David Perry (7), b. March 31, 1865.
5. Marcia Edith (7), b. May 13, 1866; d. Feb. 5, 1868.
6. Hannah Elizabeth (7), b. April 17, 1868.
7. Robert Whiting (7), b. Dec. 24, 1869.
8. Mary Edith Mabel (7), b. April 9, 1875.
9. Helen Aylsworth (7), b. March 3, 1878, (m. Wm. P. Deroche, d. Sept. 7, 1937).



Asselstine

2

Reed Index, Provincial Archives

12 Sept 1953

Snider

Sarah, dau. of Abraham Snider, U.E. of Ernesttown, & Rachel,
dau. of Jonas Amey U.E., marr — Asselstine of
Ernesttown

O.C. 24 Apr 1832



B-155.

Employed Artificers at the Naval Dept at Sorel 10 Jan 1779.

Peter Asselstine

List of officers & Men Proposed to form Two Companies
of Artificers in Canada 1 Jan 1780

Peter Asselstine Jessup's Corps Carpenter now employed

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.. George W^m D. marriage bond, Ernesttown 15 Aug 1836

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S^r. of Ernesttown

Census of 1851

Portland Township.

68

Andrew Asselstine laborer b. Can. w. meth 55

163

Benjamin .. 40

Sharloty .. 30

William 9

185¹ Symms (Cyus) 8

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Peter Arselstine

from between
Vienna & Moscow

= mother m
2^d Fraser

78.

Nicholas = Samantha Ann Hunter

d. Oct 28? 1899

abt 65 (1835)

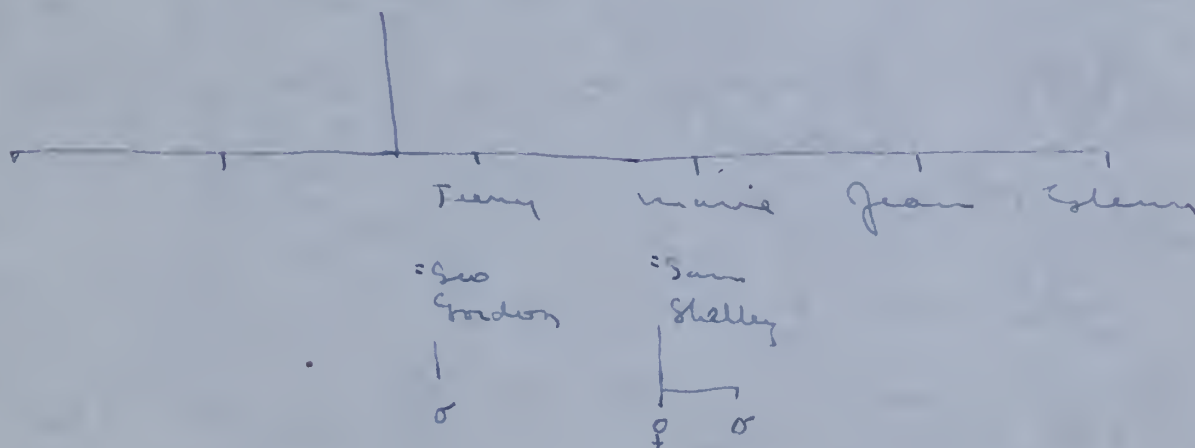
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Alfred = Frances Mary Lloyd

b. 1870-1

from So. Fredericksburg

Clarence McKinnin =



Pensioners of 1812-15

Report of 1876-77

Arselstine, John Odessa

Veterans of 1837-38

Winter of 1890-91

Arselstine, John (81) Ernesttown

" Daniel Kingston

Census of 1851 (cont'd)

Asselstine

Portland Township (cont'd)

3

Elizabeth

21

Silvester

19

George

17

Margaret

15

John

13

Cyril

12

Isaac

10

Ira

8

Catharine



Census of 1851 (cont'd)
Portland Township (cont'd)

Asselstine
2

Charles. Asselstine
Anthony ..
see below
for Jacob A.

3
1

Census of 1861
Portland Township

160	Jacob Asselstine	53
	Hannah ..	52
176 ^a	Sylvester ..	27
169	George	24
170	John	21
		18
171	Isaac	16
168	Era	28
175	Elizabeth	15
172	Melissa	19
176 ^b	Cyrel	
163		
	Benjamin Asselstine Farmer b. U.C. E. Meth	48
	Charlotte	39
187	William W	18
185	Cyres	16
184	Agnes	14
188	Nicholas	11
186	Colman	8
191	Charlotte E	5
	Mary	2

Census of 1851
Portland Township

160	Jacob Asselstine Farmer b. Can E. Meth	48
	Hannah ..	47



Census of 1851

Asselstine

Fredericksburg Sp.

Isaac Asselstine

B. U. S.

E. Ninth

76 (b. 1775)

Emestown Sp

Davis Asselstine's Mill. This mill cost about \$250 and will saw about 250,000 feet of lumber a year.

Wm J. Asselstine (1861-1913) and his wife Emma E. Sills (1856-1924) dau. of Jacob Sills, had a son Archibald Frederick. He married and when he had two children, his wife kicked him out 27 years ago. He remained away until this week (Apr 9 1955) when he turned up at Tom Conners.

Collection

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1892-3 In [illegible] [illegible]

and all [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
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Kingston Township.

Asselstine, J. E. ^{no.} conc. 1, lot 15 farmer, Collingby Canada, ^{settled} 1853

Portland Township

Asselstine, E. Belbrock, Dealer in Lumber &c.; Millwright,
Proprietor of Saw Mill, Belbrock, Ont., set. 1862

Bedford Township.

Asselstine, William con 3 lot 8 mill owner & mechanic, Glen Dower
Canada settled 1807.

Ernesttown Township

Asselstine, M. con 3 lots 25, 26 Woollen Manufacturer,
Odessa, Canada, settled 1827

.. Mrs. M. S. Odessa, Odessa, Canada, settled 1823

.. Davis Con 3 lot 29 Carpenter & joiner Odessa
Canada, settled 1811

Camden Township

.. John conc. 6 lot 2 farmer, Overton, Ont., set 1822
W. W. .. 1 lots 47, 48 .. Colebrooks .. 1843

So. Fredericksburg Township.

.. N. .. con. 8 lot 15 farmer Hawley Ont. set 1808

.. Geo .. 2 .. 18 .. Treasurer of S. F. Hawley Ont
set 1833

Ernesttown

Sarah } Asselstine. con 2 lot 26. also conc. 3. lot 26.
Catherine }

I. F. 2 .. 25

Mrs M. 3 .. 24

~~Sarah~~

Cass

Jno

.. .. 4 lot 17.



Asselstine

1878

Kingston Ip. J.E. 1-15 Farmer Collinsbay Canada 1839
 Portland E. Bellrock Dealer & Prop. Bellrock Ontario 1862
 Bedford William 3-8 Mill Owner Glendower Canada 1807
 Ernesttown M(ichael) 3-25, 26 Wadler Mfr Odessa Canada 1846 (26?)
 Mrs M.S. Odessa - " " 1823
 Davis 3-29 Carpenter & Joiner " " 1811
 Camden John 6-2 Farmer Overton Ontario 1822
 W.W. 1-47, 48 " Colebrook " 1843
 So Fredksby N(icholas) 8-15 " Hawley " 1808
 Geo 2-18 " Heas 57 " 1833

Richmond: Wm 17-17-11
 Wm G 19-8 (2?)
 Oscar 17-11 (2?)
 Camden W W 48-1: 47-1
 P 5-1
 S 46-11
 Jno 2-2-11
 Wm C 1-2-3-11
 S Fredksby. Jacob 13-11 (22?)
 Geo 18-11
 Nicholas 14-15-11 (23?)(24?)
 I.F. Estate 25-11
 Sarah 26-11
 Catharine 26-11
 Mrs M 24-11
 David (Davis) 29-11 (3?)
 Jno 16-11
 D 31-11
 N A 17-11 (18?)
 Bedford Wm 8-11
 Wm Jr 8-11
 Thos 16-11

Portland Cyrus 8, 9-1
 Isaac 20-11
 Geo 20-11
 Coleman 20-11
 Nicholas 19-11
 Lra 19-11
 Kingston Jno E 11-11
 Abrah 12-11
 W Elton D
 Old Roblin P.



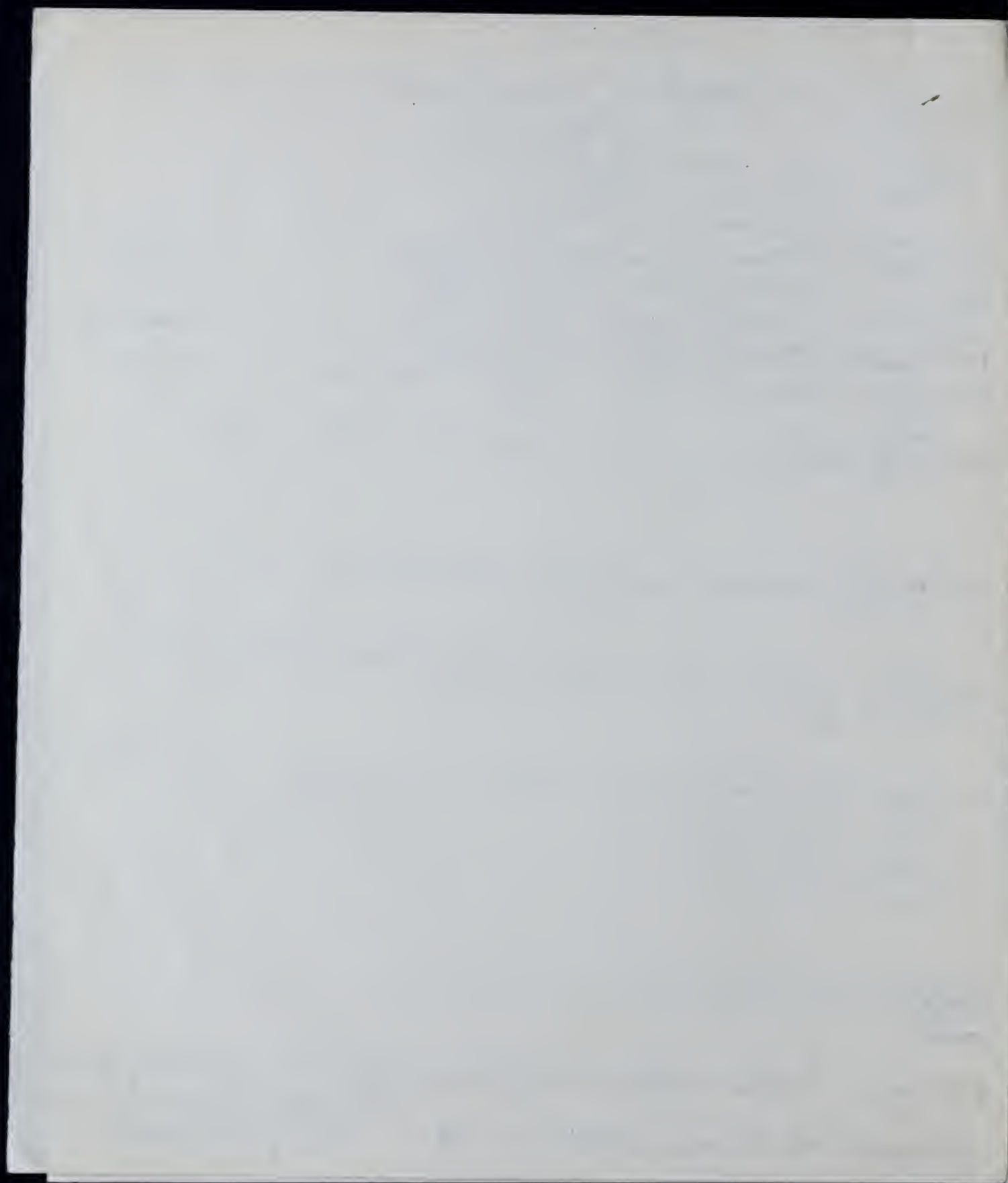
M D overall

1809 Jan 1 Peter Asselstine = Susanah Ball both of Emmett
 1809 Aug 27 " " = Barbara Cook " " "
 1810 Jan " " = James Asselstine " " "
 " Dec " " = James " " "
 1812 Feb 20 " " = Mary Amey " " "
 1816 Sept 10 Anthony Stennis = Catherine Asselstine " " Amhurst July
 1818 " 15 Richard Stennis = Christian Estelline " " Emmett
 1819 Nov 7 Michael Asselstine = Catherine Foster " " Fredrick
 1820 Mar 20 Isaac Asselstine = Mary Keller " " "
 1821 Aug 1 Boon Asselstine = Sophiah Hammond " " Emmett
 Mar 25
 1802 1 " " son of Isaac Asselstine + Hannah Day Emmett

1812 Nov 28 Mary da of Jas A. + Mary Amey Emmett
 1
 1820 Aug - Mary da Michael Asselstine + Catherine Foster Emmett

1805 Apr 25 Jacob ^{son} da of Isaac Asselstine at wt. Barbara Ebenezer huth Ch Fitchby
 1807 Aug 6 Nicholas ^{son} " " " " Mary Barbara
 1809 Nov 7 Kaley ^{son} " " " " Barbara Fitchby
 1812 Mar 25 Beny ^{son} " " " " Mary " "

1810-9
 1830 Dec 28 Nicholas Asselstine + Mary Barbara (Sicker both of Fitchby (Zicker)
 Ebenezer Ch 1816 Barbara Asselstine committed
 Emmett Ch huth abt 1830
 Jas A. Deacon
 Mrs Jas A + daughters 36



Patrons

Kingston Township

J. E. Asselstine Conc. 1 lot 15 Farmer Collingby Canada 1839

Portland Township

E. Asselstine, Belbrook, Dealer in Lumber & }
 millwright. Proprietor } Belbrook Ontario 1862
 of sawmill }

Bedford Township

Asselstine, William Conc 3 Lot 8 Mill Owner
 & Mechanic GlenDover Canada 1807

Emmett Township

M. Asselstine	Conc. 3	lots 25, 26	Wooden Manuf.	Odessa	Ontario	1846
Mrs MS	..			Odessa	Canada	1823
Davis	..	Conc 3 lot 29	Carpenter & joiner		"	1811

Camden Township

John Asselstine	Conc. 6	lot 2	Farmer	Overton	Ontario	1822
W W	"	1	47, 48	Colebrook	"	1843

So. Fredericksburgh Township

N. Asselstine	Conc. 8	15	Farmer	Hawley	"	1808
George	..	2	18	"	"	1823

Census of 1871

Deaths

Camden

William Asselstine 4 July 1871 aged 39 by Accident W M & A 18321



Bedford Township

Conc. 3 Lot 8 N half Wm. Asselstine Jr
S half Wm. Asselstine

Portland Township.

Cyrus Asselstine Conc 1. lot 8 SW $\frac{3}{4}$ } 250 ac.
9 E $\frac{1}{2}$

Isaac Asselstine " 8 " 20 E $\frac{1}{2}$
George " " 8 " 20 W $\frac{1}{2}$
Nicholas " " 9 " 19 S $\frac{1}{2}$
Coleman " " 9 " 20 all
Ira Asselstine " 14 " 19 all

Richmond

Wm Asselstine Conc. 3 lot 17 W $\frac{1}{2}$
James Benn " 3 " 17 E $\frac{1}{2}$
Wm G. Asselstine " 10 " 19 N $\frac{1}{2}$
Oscar Asselstine " 11 " 17 E $\frac{1}{2}$

Camden

P. Asselstine " 1 " 6 pt.
W.W. Asselstine " 1 " 47 N $\frac{1}{2}$
S. Asselstine " 4 " 46 NW $\frac{1}{4}$
John Asselstine " 5 " 2 N $\frac{1}{2}$
" " " 6 " 2 SE $\frac{1}{4}$

So. Fredericksburgh

George Asselstine " 2 " 18 W Pt 80 ac
Jacob " " 2 " 13 all 95 ac.
Nicholas " " 3 " 14 + 15 400 ac

Emmett Town

J. F. Asselstine Est. " 2 " 25 W $\frac{3}{4}$ 133
Sarah & Cath. Asselstine " 2 " 26 W $\frac{1}{2}$ 150 ac Conc 3 lot 26 S. $\frac{1}{2}$
David Asselstine " 3 " 29 NW $\frac{3}{4}$ 130
H. Asselstine " 3 " 29 pt 30 ac
Mrs. M. Asselstine " 3 " 24 pt 83 ac
John Asselstine " 4 " 17 pt 113 ac
N. A. " " 6 " 17 S $\frac{1}{2}$

Langhorn Register

Davy

Baptisms, St. Johns

Peter, son of John & Sophia Davy	2	bapt Oct. 12. 1788
Mary, dau.	2	.. Dec. 19. 1790
Elizabeth, dau. Henry & Mary Davy	1	.. Jul. 31. 1791
Sophia .. John & Sophia Davy	2	.. Jul. 1. 1798
Elizabeth	2	.. Apr. 5. 1801
Wm Rombough, son	2	.. Feb. 6. 1803
Benj. Fairfield	2	.. Aug. 19. 1804
Geo. Hoffnail	2	.. Oct. 25. 1807
Harriet Sophia dau Peter & Aurelia Davy	2	.. June 26. 1812
Wm Henry son Sophia Davy	2	.. May 19. 1813

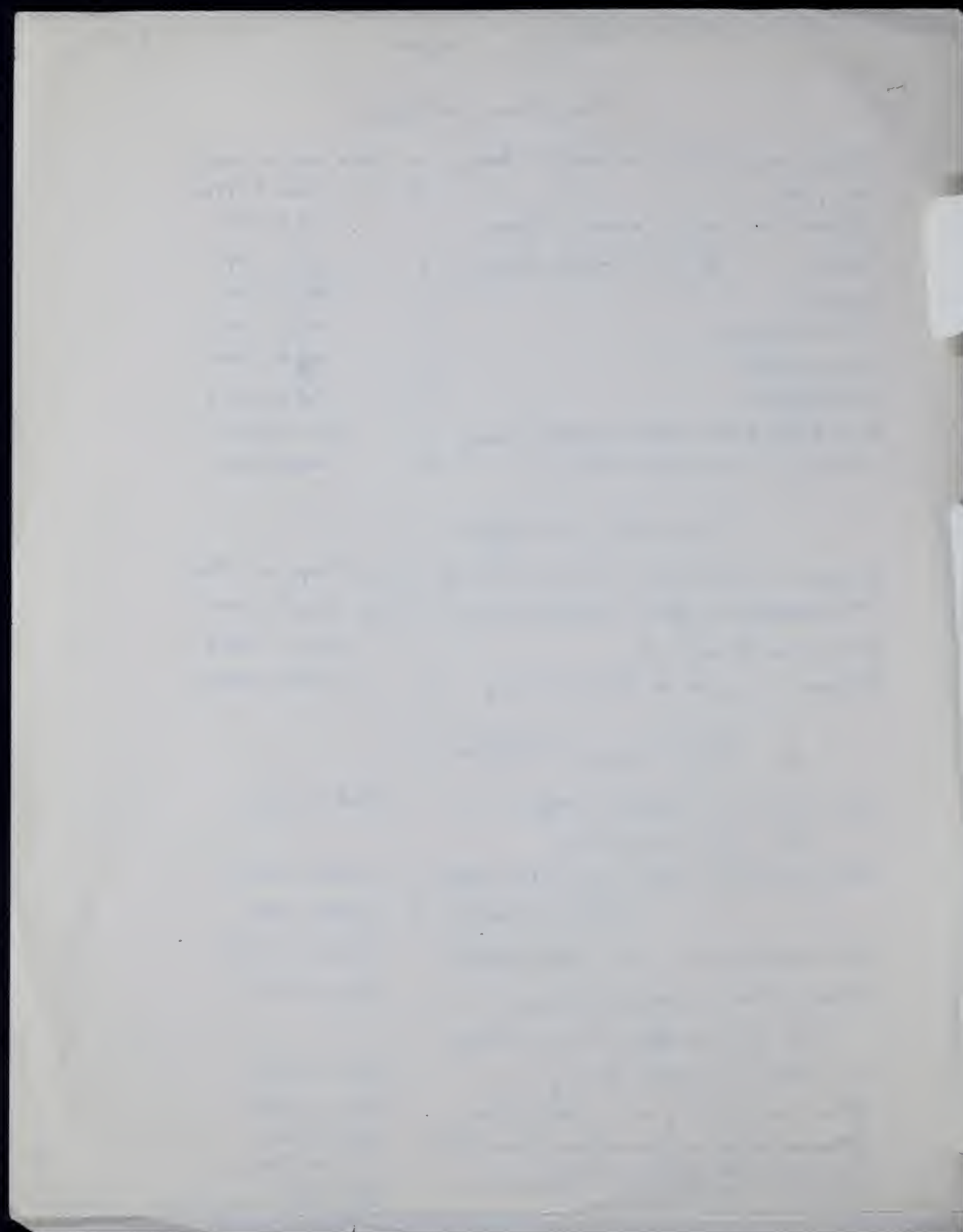
Burials, St. Johns

Jacob, son of Petrus & Maria Davy	2	bur. Sep. 25. 1800
Wm Rombough, son John & Sophia Davy	2	bur Aug. 15. 1803
Johannes Davy	2	" May 21. 1808
Shroder, servant of Peter Davy	2	" Oct. 16. 1814.

Marriages, St. Johns

John Davy & Sophy Hofnail	2	Oct. 28. 1787
Wits. Hannah Davy.		
Hannah Davy wts Caldwell-Miller	2	Mar 11. 1788
" " " Ashley-Black	2	July 6. 1788
John & Sophy Davy, wts. Morden-Jewson		Dec. 24. 1788
Cornelius Brass, Hannah Davy..2		Aug. 31. 1790
Wts Thomas Davy, Henry Davy		
Era Ballings & Sophia Davy	2	Jan 20. 1816
John & Sophia Davy wts Smith-Fisher		Dec 27. 1806
Solomon Smith & Catharine Davy (Dau. John)	2	Feb. 9. 1804
Eve Davy wts V. Butler-George	2	Mar. 14. 1809
Peter Welsh & Margt Davy wts Butler-Curtis	2	Sep. 11. 1810
Peter Davy Aurelia Chapman	2	Sep. 5. 1811 Margt Davy wts.

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Katherine

= John A. = b. 1784
d. Jan 31 1748
d. 1822
will 1819

Mary Langlois

D. 1784 self + wife - no family

Peter

Andrew Eliza Jenny Mary Christine

= Aug 27, 1809
Barbara
Carr

John

Daniel

William

♀

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Jacob
b. Jan 25, 1805
= (11 Oct 1827)
Hannah
Benn

Nicholas
b. Aug 6, 1807
d. June 12, 1892
51 28 Dec 1830
Barbara
Secker

= Margt Emery
b. Mar 9 1810
d. June 3 1887

Cyril
b. Jan 11 1818
d. Sep 15 1894
= Oct 4 1842
Alice
Clark
b. Oct 1825
d. Dec 18 1875

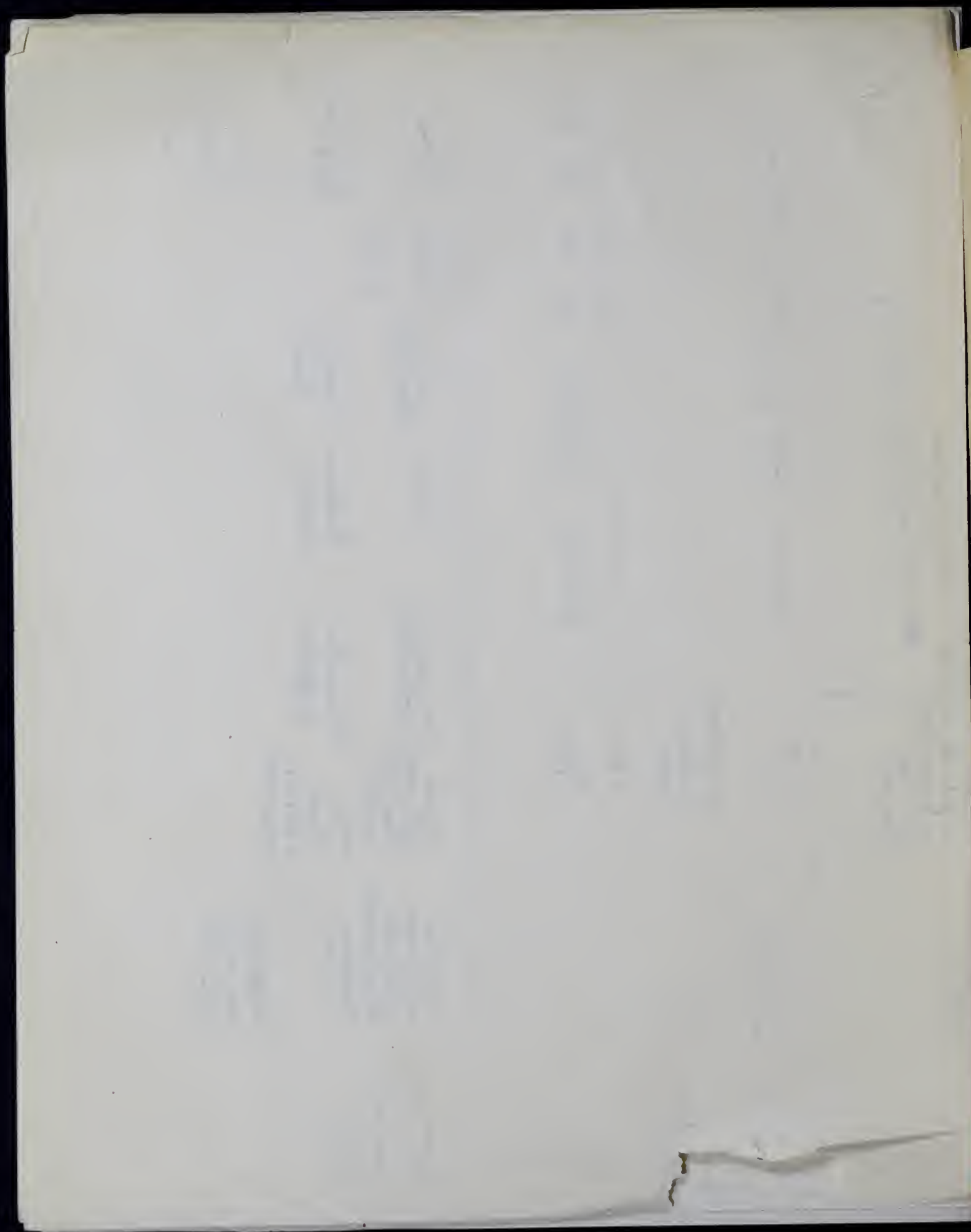
Benjamin
(b. Mar 23, 1812)
= Charlotte
Huffman

William
= Katherine
Moore

Katie
(b. Nov 7 1809)
= Henry
Benn

Eliza
d. age 7

Anne
= John Anderson
Luman
Anderson of
Naperville



Asselstine

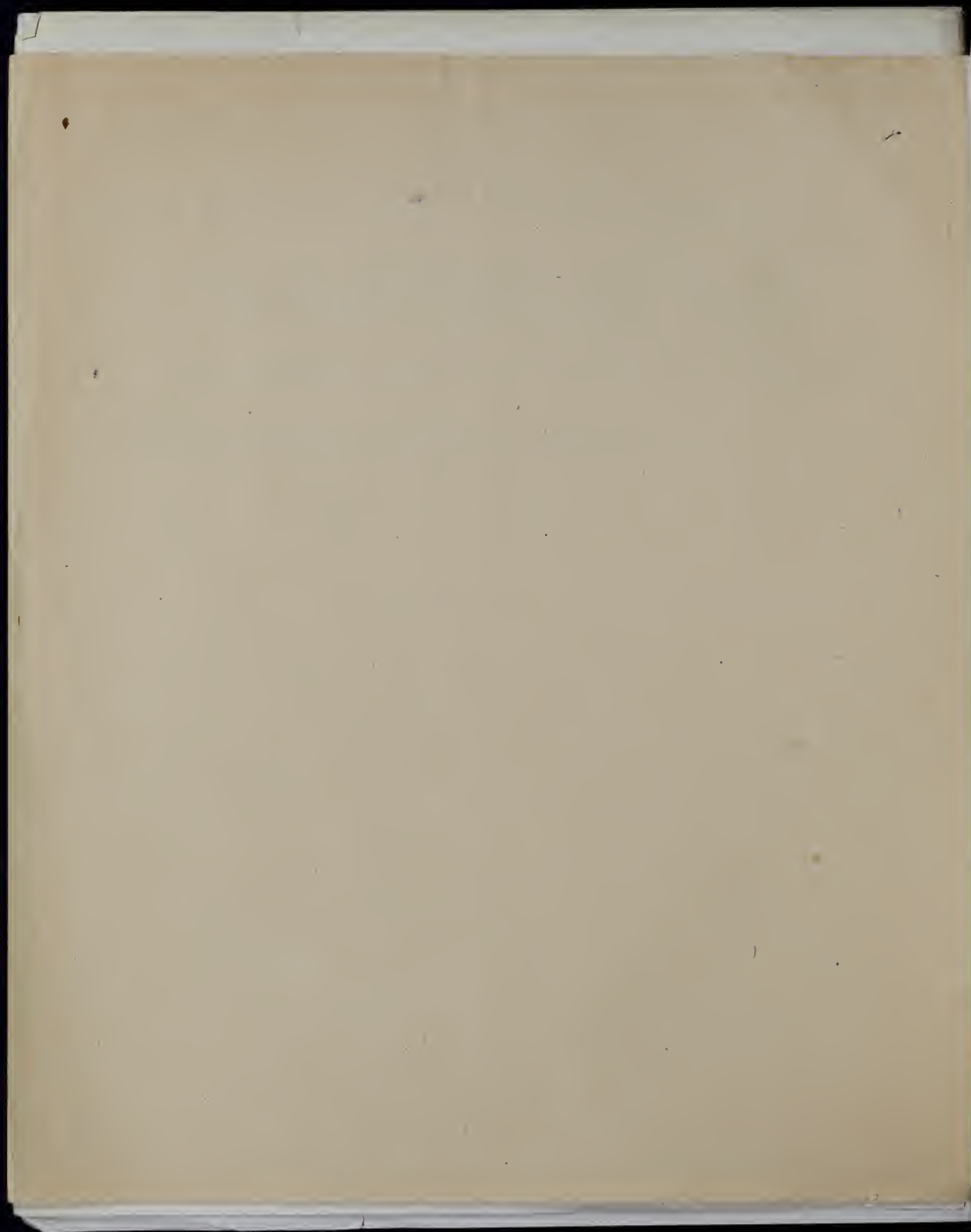
Barbara Carr

A land petition signed by Barbara Astlestein has revealed the following information about her:

Babaara Astlestein of Ernesttown, praying for a grant of two hundred acres of land as the daughter of Daniel Carr of the same place, a United Empire Loyalist. Petition approved and warrant issued on March 7, 1810.

Upper Canada Land Petitions A 9-10, 1809-1816, Petition A 24

The above received from the Dominion Archive Apr 19, 1947



U. E. Rolls

Asselstine.

Sons + Daughters

Asselstine, Isaac, son of Peter N. D. Fredericksburg.
" Christian, dau. of Peter Davy U. E.
" Hannah " " " " U. E.

"E" Series 1817-1846

Asselstine, Andrew Ernestown yeoman, son of John

Census of 1851

Ernestown

Asselstine's Mill

This mill cost about £250 and will saw about
250,000 ft. of lumber a year

Camden Tp.

Asselstine, Isaac

U. E. C. Meth 76 (5. 1775)

M.F.M. 45A
3M Pads of 100-5-45 (7303)
H.Q. 1772-39-1705

CANADIAN MEDICAL SERVICES
REPORT OF RADIOLOGICAL EXAMINATION

Reg. No..... Unit.....
Rank..... Corps.....
Name..... Film No.....

Report of Radiological examination of:

Station.....
Unit.....
Date..... Radiologist

Hartford Times Oct 3 1942

Query

A-1525 Van Yaelsteijn - Van Seyden - Willem - Jans LLE

Data of Jan Willemzen Van Yaelsteijn, alias Jan Van Seyden, son of Willem Ponsen Yaelsteijn, employee of West India Company, resides Village of Bushwick, Island of Manhattan 1650-1669. Wife was Willemtje Jans, also called Willemtje Willem. They had children all baptized in Dutch Reformed Church of New York City:

1. Geertruyd 1650, m. Jacobus Bruyn.
2. Machtelt, 1655, m. Jan Smeeder.
3. Willem, 1658
4. Jacomytje 1661
5. Cornelis 1669, probably others.

Jan Van Yaelsteijn was sentenced to banishment 1664. Family later removed to Claverack, Columbia County, New York.

Data of Isaac Esselstein, resided Claverack, Columbia County, New York about 1741. Wife Elizabeth Kelder, presumably dau. of Conradt Kelder. They had children, all baptised Zion Lutheran Church at Athens, Greene County, N.Y.

- 1 Peter 1741
2. Conrad 1743
3. Altje, 1745

who were their other children? L.L.E.

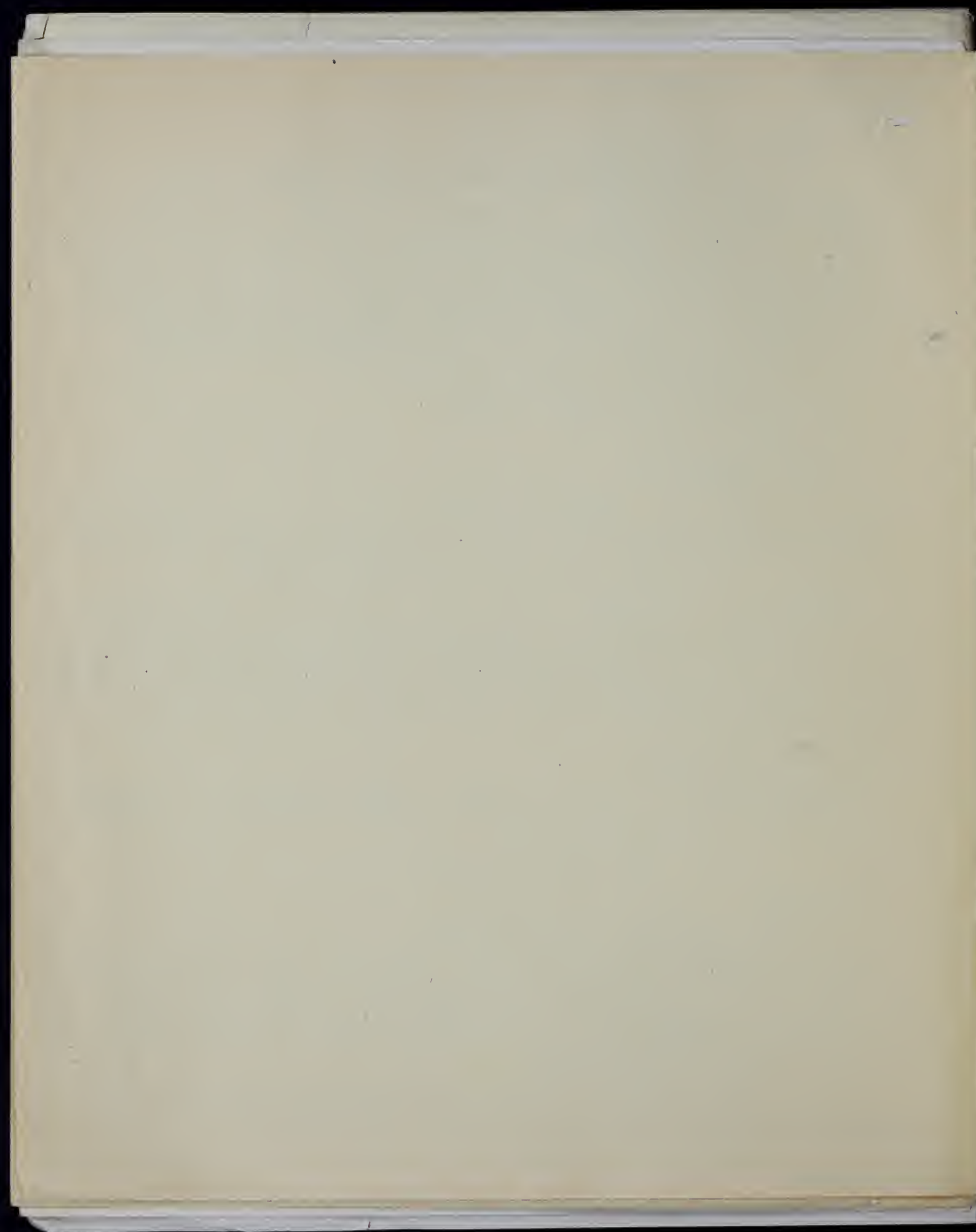
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Reply to

A-1525 (above) LLE Oct 3 1942

Isaac Esselstein of Claverack, N.Y. with chil. bapt. Athens, Greene Co., N.Y. between 1741-1745; was prob. a desc. of Martin Cornelis Esselbryn of Claverack who was from Yaelsteijn, a not of the family of Jan Willemzen Yaelsteijn alias Jan Van Seyden of New Amsterdam.

Isaac, b. 1696, was prob. son of Cornelis Martense Esselsteijn & wife Cornelia Vandenberg of Claverack and grandson of Martin Cornelis. F.H.C



Hartford Times. July 21, 1945

Query

A-5257 Isseltine - Kelder L.L.E.

Data of Isaac Esseltine and of wife Elizabeth Kelder; lived
Claverack, N.Y. abt. 1740. Was he the Isaac with wife Rachel
Delamater whose dau. Sarah was ba. "on the Bariton" J. J. 1739?

Further in. asked of chil. of Isaac & Elizabeth, as follows:

1. Peter, Sep. 25, 1741
2. Conrad, Aug 25, 1743
3. Betty, July 17, 1745 (these three bap. Athens, N.Y.)
4. Marytje May 27, 1750
5. Abraham, Jan 28, 1752
6. Jannetje, Oct. 5, 1755 (these three bap. Scitowick, N.Y.)
7. Agnitje bap. Churchtown, Sep. 22, 1760
8. Hannah, bap. Germantown Jan 31 1748(?)
9. Ollida
10. Andrew

L.L.E.

Martin Cornelis Esseltine =
b. 1669?

Cornelis Martinus Esseltine =
b. 1696 Neuchâtel in 1740

Isaac 2
b. ~~1696~~
Neuchâtel 1740

Peter U.E.
bap 25-9-1741

John U.E.
bap. 21-1-1748



Deaths - Funerals

Mon Nov 21, 1938

MRS. J. ELLIOTT

SILLSVILLE — After a month's serious illness Mrs. J. Elliott died on the afternoon of Nov. 17. Mrs. Elliott was 91 years old last May and was always in possession of all her faculties until the last.

She moved from Napanee to her home with her husband and family nearly forty years ago. She leaves a son J. B. Elliott and a daughter, Mrs. Herb Gilbert, both living at Silsville, a grand-daughter, Mrs. Arthur Asselstine of Hawley and two grown grandsons, Charles and Walter Gilbert, and two infant grandsons, John Elliott and an infant brother who with his mother Mrs. J. B. Elliott are in Kingston General Hospital.

There wasn't a goal at Boston until the third period, when Charlie Conacher, the Wings' big bomber, got his first of the year on a sizzling 15-foot shot. In five minutes Bruins tied the score through Cooney Weiland, after Shore had led wave upon wave against the Detroit goal.

With less than four minutes to play Eddie laid down a pass for Bobby Bauer and the youngster sank it to give Bruins a 2-1 lead. Bauer passed to Milt Schmidt for another goal and 18 seconds later Porky Dumart, third member of their forward line, scored unassisted to cap a rally that belonged almost entirely to Shore and the Sauerkraut Line.

In their sixth straight loss, and with rookie Claude Bourque in goal, Canadiens put up a game fight against Rangers. Lynn Patrick sent the Blueshirts ahead in the first period but Louis Trudel tied the score on a relay from Bill Summerhill and George Mantha in the second. Four minutes before the close of that period, Phil Watson took a pass from

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CANADIAN MEDICAL SERVICE

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Asselstine

Reed Index, Provincial Archives.

12 Sept 1953

Asselstine, John of Ernesttown.

Andrew, of Ernesttown

O.C. 27 Feb 1818 + 17 Nov. 1830

Catharine, marr. Regis Lessard, of Ernesttown

O.C. 15 Sep. 1818 + 26 Feb. 1819

Mary, marr Cyrenius Corban, of Ernesttown

O.C. 14 July 1819

16 Feb 1810

Peter, of Ernesttown

23 Feb 1808

Elizabeth

9 Mar 1803

Abraham, of Markham

9 Mar 1803

Isaac, of Ernesttown (later of Fredericksburg?)

25 Feb 1812

Michael, of Ernesttown

Jane, marr. John Watson of Ernesttown, Jan 1810

O.C. 2 Dec 1810 + 7 Apr 1812

Asselstine, Peter (d. May 15, 1826, aged 84 yrs. Ernest^m Am.) (b. 1741-2

John, of Ernesttown, marr. Mary, dau. of Nicholas

Amy, U.E. (Wed. 30.6.1858 at 69.11.7) (b. 19.7.1788)

O.C. 23 Nov 1816

George, of Ernesttown, born 29 Mar 1794; died 16 Aug 1861

O.C. 23 Nov 1816

25 Feb 1812

Michael, of Ernesttown (sic)

Elizabeth, marr. John Hadley of Fredericksburg

O.C. 13 Jan 1831

22 June 1825

Margaret

Amy

Mary, dau of Nicholas Amy, U.E., of Ernesttown, marr.

John, son of Peter Asselstine, U.E., of Ernesttown 20 Feb 1812,

O.C. 23 Nov 1816

Benn

Florence, son of John Benn, ^{U.E.} of Fredericksburg. ~~mar~~ born Mar 1805

marr. Catharine Asselstine, 1828. He d. Aug 1880 O.C. 19 Aug 1833.

Carr

Barbara, dau. of Daniel Carr for U.E. of Ernesttown marr. Peter

Asselstine of Ernesttown 27 Aug 1809

O.C. 16 Feb 1810

Davy

Hannah, dau. of Peter Davy (for) U.E. of Ernesttown, marr

Asselstine of Ernesttown

O.C. 29 Oct 1801



3 March, 1962.

Miss Helen K. Richardson,
1706 E.-34th Street,
Indianapolis 18,
Indiana.

Dear Miss Richardson:

Your letter of the 27th ult., addressed to Miss Kaye McFarland, has been handed to me for reply, seeing that I am the genealogist of the Bay of Quinte Branch, U. E. L. Association.

I live about six miles from the site of the old Asselstine Woollen Mill, where I have been residing since 1935. I have been in it several times--in fact, we have a small glass bottle which was found there. It was a sad day when the Provincial Government, through the Seaway Commission, removed it to Pioneer Village.

It is most unfortunate that you did not supply us with dates. It is almost impossible to identify persons who carry common names, such as John, William, Mary, etc., as these names recurred generation after generation. In fact, it was common to find a half dozen Johns living at the same time. In my Asselstine file I have found a Daniel, but I have no way of stating that he is the man you seek.

Some work has been done on the Canadian Asselstine family, other than what I have. I refer to the efforts of Miss Kathryn Asselstine, 74 Ellis Ave., West, Windsor, Ont. She is a retired school teacher of approximately 70 or 80 years. I do not know whether she is alive or not, or mentally alert. She had about five copies of the genealogy made. She told me several years ago that she had deposited copies in the Detroit Historical Library, Provincial Archives of Toronto, and a copy which she had promised to this Association. I might suggest that you write to her, or visit the Detroit Library.

Your surname intrigues me. Did your Richardson family come from this part of Ontario? We have an old Loyalist family of that name here years ago. In fact, two sisters of my great-grandfather Percy married into this Richardson family. If you belong, I shall be interested in obtaining, as well as giving, information.

I trust that this letter is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,



Peter A. Sr. & Christine Davey (2nd wife)
Born 25.9.1741 Died 15.5.1826

Isaac Elizabeth
= *Elizabeth*
1865
Married 1.1.1809
Peter & Susannah Ball
1762-1844

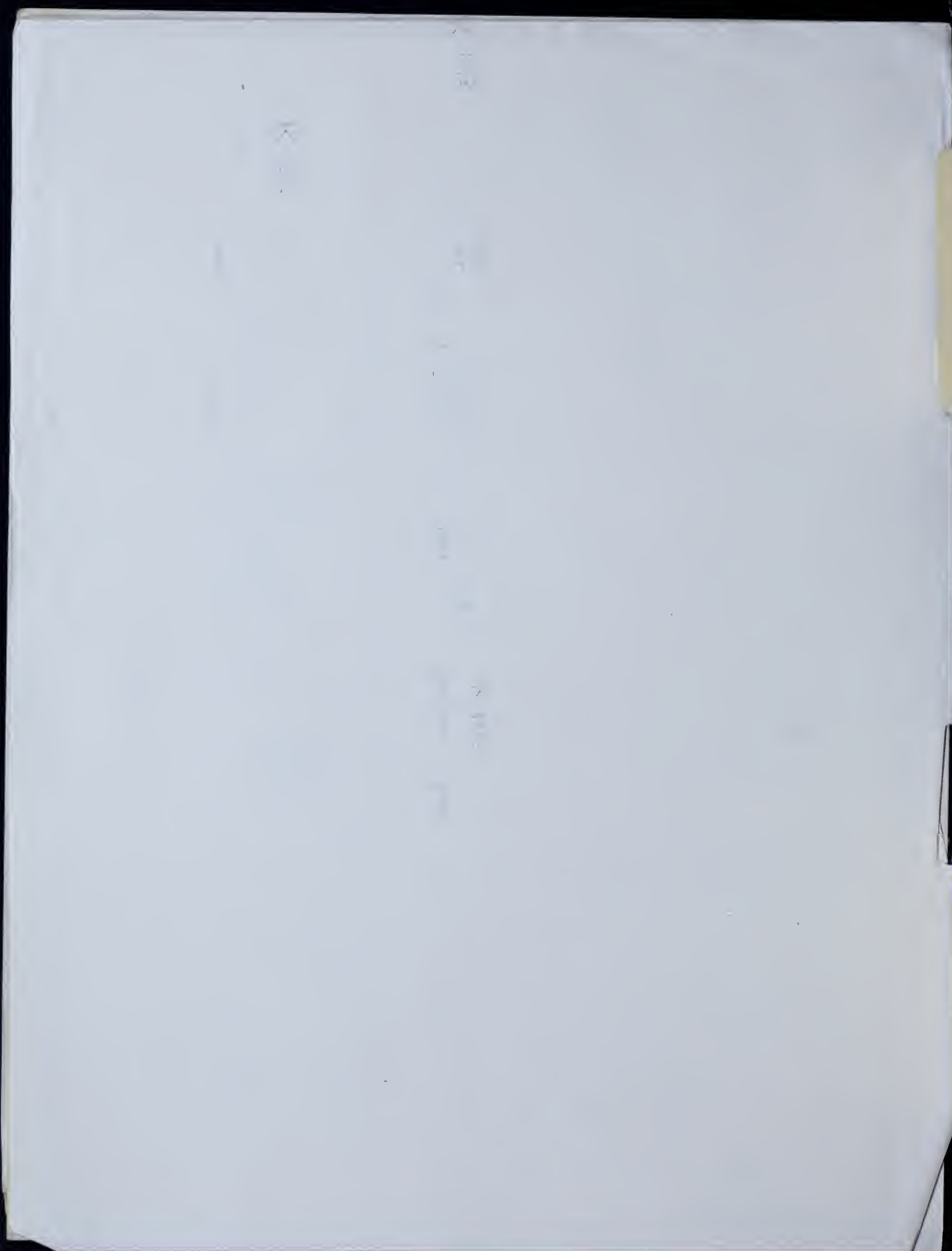
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30.6.1818 29.3.1789 7.11.1819
= *Mary* = *Mary*
to *Widow* *Widow*

Birth Dates 1810 to 1835

Isaac Nicholas Peter & Jennie
Born 1834 Born 1834
Died Feb 1884 Died 1824-1914
1865

Justice Jane
1865

Almedia Olivia J. James E.
3.3.1863-1930



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John 23.7.1789 d 30.6.1858

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John son Peter jr + Barbara Carr
who m. 27.8.1809
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(Comrade son Isaac lived Dublin
50 yrs ago)

John + Maria (A Bath)
Ch = Census 1851 p 25

John Ezra A b 25.11.1838 (m Jacob)

John A = Fanny Jane Ellsworth (b 1845)

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1956

Mrs John H Kimmett
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Asselstine Green

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1956

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ELKOSIN

Rapid relief of pain and fever in middle ear infections.

6 Dec., 1956

Mrs. John H. Kimmett,
Roblin, Ont.

Dear Mrs. Kimmett:

When I sat across the room from you at Fairfield's and I asked you if you might order a copy of the Asselstine Genealogy, I forgot to get your name. Since that time I have often thought of you and the book, and often wondered if you had done anything about it. I had no way of knowing. Then, at one of the last Historical Society meetings, I asked Judge Smith and he gave your name as the lady at the meeting.

I wonder if you might tell me if you ever did anything about the genealogy, or whether Miss Asselstine has any copies left. I am still very much interested in obtaining a copy. I have heard indirectly from her when she became a member of the Bay of Quinte Branch of the U. E. L. Association.

My sincere thanks for any information you may

be able to give.

Yours sincerely,

Cornelius Asselstine
1669

Cornelius Martine = Cornelia
Asselstine Vandenberg
1846-1871

Douglas = Elizabeth
Kilder

John Q. Richman
1748
1822

Isabel Kelly

Isaac
1777

Mary Barbara
Mayer

Wm C Asselstine
1820-1909

Catherine Moore
-1878

Matthew
Lochhead

Rachel
Martin
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6/12-1863

William
Perry

Oscar
Asselstine
1846-1942

Marian Ann
Lochhead
1846-1923

Robert
Perry

Kathryn
Asselstine

7.8.1846
Feb 1923

Amos
Martin
b. 4.11.1782
d. 22.9.1859

Amos
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= Susannah
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Indianapolis 18, Indiana

1706 E - 34th St

February 27, 1962

Miss Kaye MacFarland

Your name was given me by Marion Keffer of the York Pioneer and Historical Society in Toronto in answer to a question I had written her about.

Several months ago some Upper Canada Village literature was sent me in which was mentioned and shown the Asseltine Factory. This naturally, aroused my interest, as I remember mother saying some of her

Copies in
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Emil² Bach ¹⁸⁵¹ Enumeration

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pro = 2^d Mary Langlois (mar Dec 64 1760)
 Peter fr = Barbara Carr
 27 Aug 1804

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relatives owned a woollen mill. Her grandfather was Daniel Solomon Asseltine who married Elizabeth Hume.

Can you give me any information about the family or tell me where to write? Was there ever a genealogy published? I will be glad to pay you for this information.

Very truly yours

(Miss) Helen K. Richardson

P.S. - By the way, Mother's first beau lived in Napanee. She was born in Kingston.

1852 Mrs Daniel Arselstine of Kingston died

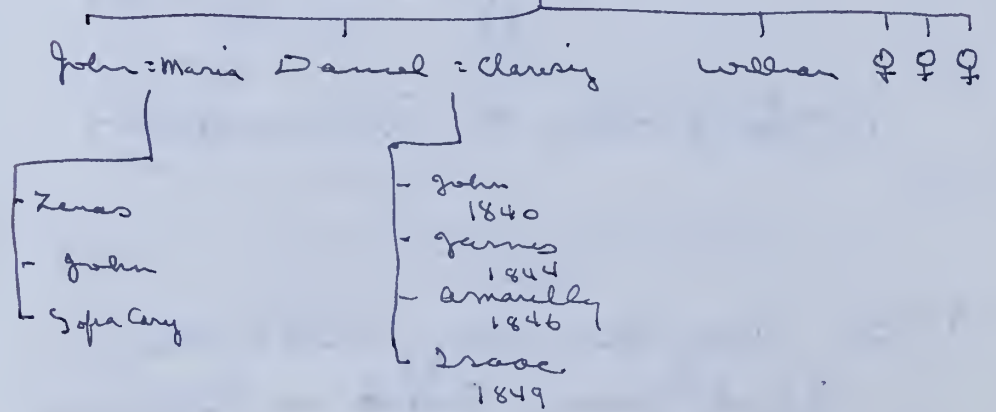
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1841 Mrs James Humes conf. of a son at
Clark's Mills, Camden

John Arselstine = Marie Langlois

Peter Jr = 1809-27-8 Barbara Carr



Indianapolis, Ind
14 March 1962

Dr. H. C. Burleigh
Bath, Ontario
Canada

Dear Dr Burleigh:

Thank you very much
for replying to the letter
I wrote Miss Kaye McFarland.

I am so glad to know
the old location of the Assel-
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the Detroit Historical Library.

If they won't lend the Assel-
stine Genealogy to our State
Library, I shall go to Detroit.

The next time I'm in Canada,
will visit Kingston, the Pioneer
Village and the Bay of Quinte
Branch, U. E. L. Association as
I'd like to see that small glass
bottle.

As to the Richardson surname
my branch of the family are
from New York City and Long
Island as far back as the
1760's.

Again my thanks,
Yours Sincerely

Helen K. Richardson

your letter of the 10th inst. has been
received and the same has been
forwarded to the proper authorities
for their consideration. I am
sorry to hear that you are
unwell and hope you will
soon be able to resume your
usual avocations. I am, Sir,
very respectfully,
Yours,
J. H. [Signature]

and in the event of your
being unable to do so, please
write to me at the above
address and I will be
glad to hear from you.
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J. H. [Signature]

Very truly,
Yours,
J. H. [Signature]

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Isaac 8 20 f.

John 8 f

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Wm 9 14

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Martin Cornelius v. Ysselsteyn

Cornelius Martense of Schenectady 1661, Kingston 1747

Ysselsteyn

Σ 1 = Cornelia Vredenburg of Kingston

Ysselsteyn, Jacob b 1707, d 1795 = Magdalena Brodhead of Ulster Co
will dated 18 Aug 1774, disposes of three slaves - Pomp, Toby, & Sybilla

1 Martin Cornelise Van Ysselsteyn b. Ysselsteyn Holland, c 1655,

= Mayke Cornelise of Barneveldt, Holland

To America c. 1659, one of original proprietors of Schenectady, N.Y.
sold these lands for 330 beaver skins & removed to Claverack, Columbia
County, N.Y. Family for 7 generations in Claverack

d. c 1704

2 Cornelis Martense, his son, d 1747, b 1661, to Kingston N.Y 1690

= Cornelia Vredenburg of Kingston)

1698
Jacob b. 1707; d. 1795

mar. Magdalena Brodhead of Ulster Co
will 18 Aug 1774 disposes of three slaves Pomp, Toby, & Sybilla

son Richard of Claverack b 1731 d. 1783

= 10 1755 Moiske Bloom

— = 21 1767 Mary Van Alstyne
x Jacob / Capt in Rev. Army

Cornelius b 1770 d 1847, mar. 1792 Clara Vaseburgh of
Claverack

1 Martin of Claverack b. 1810 d 1883 = 1845 Cynthia
Garner

1 Cornelius of Claverack b 1846 = 1872 Ida Groot of
Claverack

2 William M. b 1851 = 1877 Emma Lawrence
of Hudson

3 Charles b 1803. d 1868

1 Jacob b 1

(3 Jacob b. c 1677 = 5 Dec 1699 Catharina Vandusen)



Esselstein

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11.8.1700 | Hendrick Propard
Jannetje de |
| 12 | Gesselstein, Isaac
Bogard, Rachel | Beta
16.5.1736 | Thomas Jansen
Maayke Bogard |
| 11 | Gesselstein, Jacob
Bradeth, Magdalena
(Broodhead) (see pg 145) | Cornelis
14.4.1734 | Isaac Gesselsleyn
Rachel Bogard |
| 12 | Gesselstein, Isaac
Bogard, Rachel | Neeltjen
24.6.1753 | Anthony Slight
Neeltje Bogard |



A Pioneer Family, 1649-1949

Isselsteijn — Asselstine

1. Jan Willenzen Van Isselsteijn & wife Willemijte

Children:

1. Gertruyd bapt. 22.5.1650, married 1st Jacobus Bruyn
son Jan Bruyn bapt 8.10.1689, 2nd Severn Tenhout.
& others.

2. Machtelt, bapt. 18.7.1655; married Jan Smeed.

Children:

- a. Justice, bapt 13.2.1687
b. Willem " 31.8.1684
c. Gertruyd " 26.11.1682
d. Jacob.
e. Jannetie

1 Marten Cornelisen Van Asselsteijn & wife Mayeke (Cornelise of Bonneveld, Holland.)

children:

- 2 a. Fannetie (or Jannetie) b. about 1657; married Hendrick C. Bogard.
+ 3 b. Cornelis Martense, b. about 1659; married Cornelia Van Vrendenburg.
4 c. Teuntie (Jaeren) b. about 1664; married Livinius Winne.
5 d. Gertruyd, born about 1667; married Jacobus De Lamater.
6 e. Marytje, born about 1669; married Joris Middagh.
7 f. Cornelia, born about 1675; married Jan Post.
+ 8 g. Jacob, born about 1677; married Cathelynta Vandusen, 5 Dec., 1699.

+ 2. (1b.) Cornelius Martense, & wife Cornelia (Van Vrendenburg) Van Asselsteijn

- 9 a. William, baptized about 1693; married Fentje —
10 b. David, baptized 23 Oct 1705; died unmarried
11 c. Jacobus " 6 Nov 1698; married, 18 May, 1724 Magdalena Broadhead.
12 d. Isaac, baptized 1 Jan, 1696; married Rachel Bogaert 26 Nov. 1725
13 e. Bacta, " 7 Aug. 1687; married Isaac Vandusen 3 Dec., 1706
14 f. Tobias " 3 " 1690. Not mentioned in father's will.
15 g. Abraham " 8 Jan 1704. " " " " "
16 h. Gabriel " " " " " "
17 i. Johannes, baptized 26 May, 1701; married Maria Vrendenburg 4 May 1736.



8 (1g) Jacob, married 5 Dec., 1699, Catarynta Vandusen.

children

- 18 a. Marten baptized 11 Aug., 1700.
- + 19 b. Bata, " 26 Dec. 1705.
- 20 c. Helena " 26 Mar. 1713
- 21 + d. Matthias " 26 Oct. 1715.
- 22 e. Martje " 2 July 1718.
- + 23 f. Isaac. (sometimes listed, but no further records).

+ 31 (2-1g-k) Matthias

children

- 24. Robert, married Hannah Loofburrows.
- 25. Matthias, married Ann Wilson.
- 26 Samuel, married Martha Neville.
- 27 Jacob, married Phoebe Cowood.

+ 19. Bata, married Alexander Thompson

+ 23 ? Isaac ? married Elizabeth (Kelder)

children:

- U E + 28. Petrus, baptized 25 Sept. 1741; married (Anna Hlad)
- 1st (a question) (Christine Davy - 2nd,
- + 29. Conradt, baptized 25 Aug. 1743; married Marie.
- + 30. Altijs (Alidie), baptized 7 July 1745; married Heinrich Propper.

U E + 31. Hannes (Johannes), baptized 31 Jan. 1748; married 1st Catharina
2nd Marie Langlois, 3rd Susannah. No children of 3rd wife.

32. Martie, baptized 27 May. 1750.

+ 33. Abraham, " 28 Jan. 1752; married Anna Marie
Simmons.

34. Jannetje, baptized 25 Oct. 1755

35. Agnietje " 22 Sept. 1760

+ 36. Andries, married Elizabeth Stalker in 1783 at Claverack, N.Y.

+ 30 Altijs (Alidie) married Heinrich Propper.

Children:

37 Elizabeth, baptized 4 Mar. 1764, Claverack Dutch Reformed
Church. Sponsors: Isaac Esselstijne & wife Elizabeth.

38. Peter, baptized 5 June 1768. Sponsors, Petrus Esselstijne
and Anna.



Kingslon Directory 1857

Asselstine, Isaac, carpenter	7 Gordon street
Frances, builder	8 " "
Isaac, founder	58 Johnston St
Benjamin Moulder	59 " "
Richard, carpenter	7 Gordon St.

Come's Mills. Ernestown, County of Addington
Asselstine, John, yeoman.

Linksville. Ernestown, County of Addington
Asselstine, Michael & Son, Woollen factory & Grist Mill

Moscow.

Asselstine, Benjamin, yeoman
" Jeremiah "

Hopanee

Asselstine, Nicholas, farmer, Centre Street



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 b Richmond

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62 Michael Casselstone = Nancy Fraser

91 Nancy, b. Aug 1820 = O. W. McGilvray 9.7.1840

92 Isaac
d. ~~1847~~ 1847

= mineva Parrott (Wooler Mills)

93 Sarah, b. 1824

? Collier \rightarrow Sperry Fred.

Michael = Jane Ann
1847-1931 Sp. 15

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1847-1923

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may 21 d 17.10.1835 or 22.10.27

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Peter Asselotene Sr =
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- 1884

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James E. Asselotene
1863-1930

1904 Stonington
J. E. f. Con 1, lot 20
Inventory

1904

Justus Ho Sydenham
to 5 on lot 9 to con 5 lot 9
Loboro.

Sydenham (1904)
Asselotene HL
unameth

Asselotene

Vancouver BC BC

4 Jan 1972

Ortho Peggy Wallace 6
X-ray of neck
shows changes in
vertebrae

Ortho Ron Patterson 6
Zosteritis opthalmica 1

Lab Boule 3
pan arth
with hand denervation

D.P. Ghosh 6
respiratory tetanus 2

Riverside Map

Edw. B. Swin da E. & C. Arnold d 19. 8. 1887 at 0.6.7



A. I. Asselstine
of Vancouver,

H. C. BURLEIGH, M.D., C.M.
BATH, ONTARIO

Sillsville Cem.

Wm. J. Aseltine 1861-1913

Emma E. Sills h w 1856-1924

Closes Mill

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Isaac Aseltine d 25.6.1860 ae 80

Mary B. h w d 17.4.1849 ae 63

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Mary B. wife Nicholas A. d Feb 4 1837 ae 26.9.0

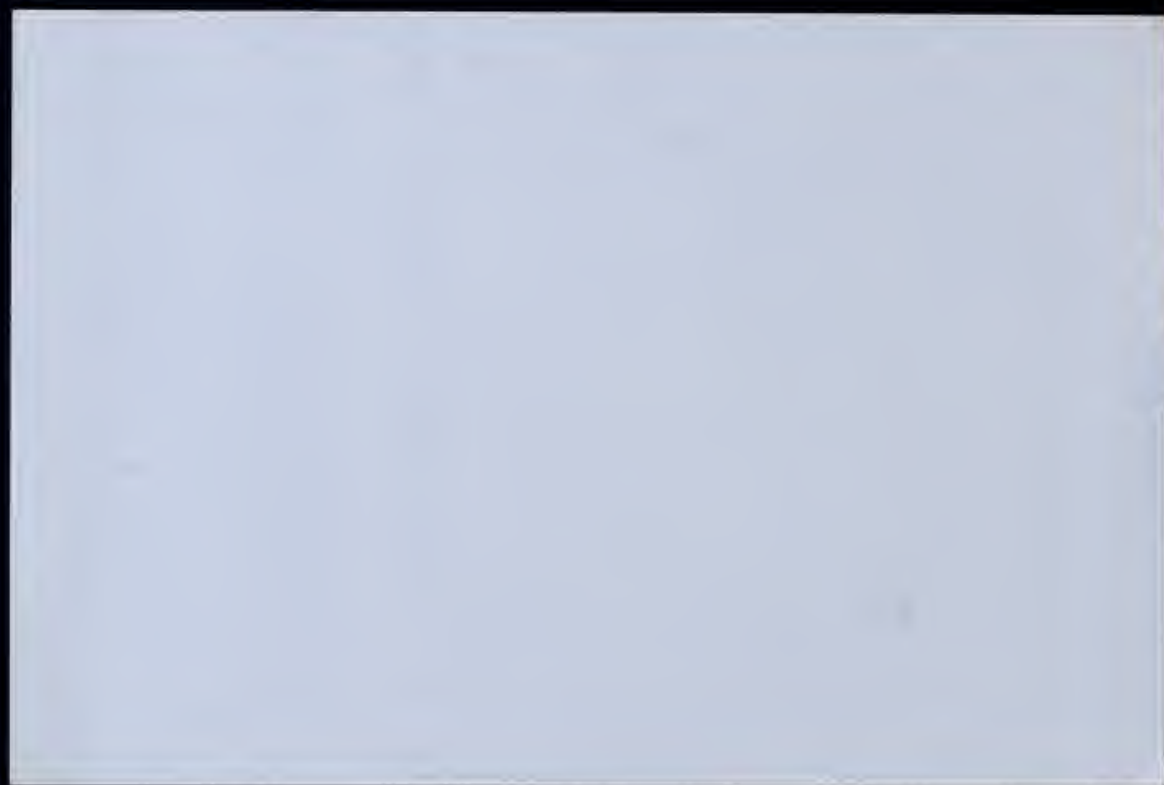


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- Howe 53

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May 15, 1826
Served in France
from 1845 to
1848 with
the 1st Regt.
of Claverack
in the 1st
of the 1st

= Christina Mary
b. Peter, 1841-2
b. Feb. 21, 1848
a. Feb. 21, 1850

John
b. Jan 21, 1848
Reformed Church,
Germanstown,
Columbia Co. N.Y.
Served in France
from 1845 to
1848 with
the 1st Regt.
of Claverack
in the 1st
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= 1st Mary
b. 1841-2
b. 2nd Mary Langlois, at Dutchess
before 1844

sons of James Hamilton
and Elizabeth Kelden
of Claverack, Columbia Co.

Crown Lands - Emmettown

Arrelstine

Isaac (U.E.)	conc 2	lot 8 S $\frac{1}{2}$	6.10.1801.
"	3	" 29 $\frac{3}{4}$	6.30.1845
"	3	" 36 W $\frac{1}{2}$	5.27.1840
John (L.R.)	" 2	" 7 E $\frac{1}{2}$	6.13.1816
"	4	" 17 all	12.31.1798
Peter (L.R.)	" 2	" 7 W $\frac{1}{2}$	6.20.1816

Land Books.

Christian, alias Davy, 1797. Praying for lands as a loyalist.
Recommended for 200 acres as a U.E. Loyalist.

Isaac, 1797. Praying for lands in addition as a loyalist. Re-
commended for 100 acres in addition.

1798 Surveyors minutes of search, Midland District.
Claim 127 - S. end lot 8, conc. 2, Emmettown.
Supposed to be the south half.

John 1797 Praying for family lands. Recommended for 100
acres family lands.

Peter Sr., 1797 Praying for family lands. Recommended for
100 acres family lands.

Q Series - Land Petitions

1803 Hannah (dan. of Peter Davy)

1804 Abraham

Isaac

John

names Enquired for U.E. list 23 May 1802

Isaac.

1805 Isaac

John

Peter, sen.



THE NAPANEE BEAVER



THE ASSELSTINE FAMILY are shown in this picture taken in the Richardson Studio in Napanee about a century ago. Standing, from the left, are Elizabeth, who married Herb Asselstine; Samuel Asselstine, the head of the family; Jo (Mrs. Elgin Ungar) and Tillison Myro (Till) Asselstine. Seated are Isaac Asselstine and the mother of the family, nee Huffman, and on the right a daughter who died shortly afterward as a young girl. This picture was loaned to The Napanee Beaver by John Wood, Deseronto Rd., who lived with the Asselstines when he first came to Canada from England. 5 Feb 1975

Bill Carter Mixes Own Economic Brew

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William appointed Council and set up the Ashby Department Scott with people in public approach Lions Club and the substantial Denbigh Volunteer

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THE NAPANEE BEAVER

Water
REALTOR

68 DUNDAS ST.
EAST
TEL: 354-2123
NAPANEE

BY THE BAY

year 'round home on the south shore of
ur-bedroom, eight room bungalow with
n 33'x11'. Large laundry and furnace
th a lovely view and access to the Bay of
waterway. Asking \$37,000. MLS.

HOME WITH LARGE LOT

est) bright and tidy, with very pretty
edroom with built-ins, kitchen includes
ette suite. Lot is 100'x180' and well
w bushes and good garden access for
North of Napanee. \$17,500. — which
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IR FOR LIVING

urved wrought iron bannister leading to
ed bedrooms. Lovely living room,
ate kitchen with eat-in facilities, a side
room and kitchen, or down to a
family room complete with bar and
fenced yard with patio, carport and
will convince you of the comfort,
in of this brick and frame home.

ENTRY HOME

is new, five-level split home, less than
size 150'x150'. Will have 1700 sq.ft.
ing a finished family room, 4 pc. and
basement for storage or additional
We have the plans at the office. Call
and colour scheme. The price is right
e necessary financing. N572.

WATER HOME

to call your own, not too expensive
a new home? Then consider this 1½
south Napanee. 4 piece bathroom
om with fireplace and dining room.
shop fully insulated. Located near
iced to sell at \$28,000. Seen by

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HOMES

E250 — WATERFRONT HOME — situated on a three-acre lot,
three bedrooms, large dining room and living room. Beautiful
view of Lake Ontario. Asking \$49,500.00.

760 — EXECUTIVE HOME — New brick elevated bungalow on
5½ acres, 10 rooms, two baths, wall-to-wall carpeting, electric
heating, garage. Handy to town. Priced at \$54,900.00.

758 — DESERONTO — Immaculate two-bedroom bungalow, full
basement, F.A. oil heating, handy to downtown. Taxes \$188.00.
Owner anxious to sell.

759 — DESERONTO — Six-room, two-storey home, fenced lot.
Asking \$24,500.00.

749 — CAMDEN EAST — Only \$16,700.00 buys this 8-room,
two-storey home with garage and good well and garden spot.

E240 — It's immaculate, and it features large living room, three
bedrooms, finished rec. room and work area in the full basement.
Attached garage and paved drive, large fenced lot.

741 — MOVE INTO this brand new, three-bedroom brick
bungalow with large kitchen, spacious dining and living area, full
basement with fireplace, attached garage, two baths, wall-to-wall
carpeting, and it's ready for occupancy.

FARMS AND ACREAGES

752 — CHOICE BUILDING LOT, nicely located on paved road,
only eight miles to Napanee, and easy commuting to Kingston.
\$6,000.00.

E244 — VACANT LAND — 110 acres, 100 acres tillable one mile
of road frontage, two good wells and a dug pond on the property.
Asking \$28,500.00.

739 — ROBLIN AREA — 13 acres with ½-mile road frontage on
No. 41 highway and good building site, priced at \$10,500.00.

720 — PRODUCTIVE 285-ACRE FARM, large modern 10-room
brick home, two barns, one with milking parlour, two silos, and
stabling for 100 cattle.

745 — THIRTY ACRES with dug pond, some bush. Asking

Cemeteries cont'd

Asselstine

Morse.

George Asselstine, 1833-1897

Ann Finkle, h.w. 1832-1910

Herbert, 1865

Rena, his dau., 1891-1898

Charles, 1861-1924

Annie Creighton, h.w. 1869-

Freddy, their son, 1898-99

Cyrus Alden, ~~born~~ d Feb 23, 1864, ae 7.9. (b May, 1856)

Fred, b. Mar 25, 1871; d Jan. 28, 1877

Frank, b. Mar. 25, 1871; d Feb. 6, 1871

} sons of Billings
& Lucy Asselstine.

Jacob B. Asselstine, 1831-1882

Anna E. Thompson, h.w., 1840-1918

Robert N., 1864-1885

Federick E., 1871-1923

S. Ida J., 1862-19

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Nicholas Asselstine, d June 12, 1892, ae. 84.10.6 (b Aug. 6, 1807)

Margaret Empey, h.w., d June 3, 1887, ae 77.2.24 (b Mar. 10, 1810)

179 John Fletcher, their son, d Sep. 20, 1874, ae 26.6.16 (b Mar. 4, 1848)

178 Samuel N. Asselstine, d. Dec. 25, 1850; d. Jan. 27, 1918.

Almira C. Huffman, h.w., 1853-1926, ae 73 yrs

Flossie Blanche, their dau., d. Dec. 24, 1894, ae 11.1 (b Nov 1883)

Morris, their son, d Nov 3, 1908, ae 19.10.11 (b Dec. 23, 1888)

181 E. A. Asselstine, wife of Jas A Clark, d. Mar. 18, 1878, ae 32 (b 1846)

John A. Clark, d Jul. 2, 1899, ae 59.9 (b Oct 1839)

181 Elizabeth Ann Asselstine, 1879-1902

Fellows Cemetery

Jane Asselstine, wife of Richard Fraser, d Apr 6, 1888, ae 86.3.19
(b Dec. 18, 1801)

Sellsville Cemetery

Wm J. Asselstine 1861-1913

Emma E. Sells, h.w. 1856-1924



7.16.17²
18219

Moscow Cemetery
1953

East

George Garrison Nov 19-1822 = Nov. 5, 1909
176 Mary B. Asselstine, his wife, 1829-1921 (dan. Jacob & Hannah)

Lylester H. Asselstine, d. Nov. 19, 1899, aged 66 yrs (son Jacob & Hannah)
Martha Dennisor, his wife, d. July 20, 1915, aged 78 years

(160)
Cyrel J., son of Jacob and Hannah Asselstine, d. June 3, 1860 aged
19 years, 8 months & 27 days (see below)

William Wesley Asselstine 1843-1928

Fosette Lott, his wife, 1837-1895

Ethel J. Asselstine 1874-1924

Archie A. Asselstine 1879-1940

Gertrude A. Guess, his wife, 1874-1942

(160)
Jacob Asselstine 1805-1865 (son of John, U.S., & first wife Katharine)

Hannah Benn, his wife, 1806-1900 (dan.

¹⁷¹ Isaac Asselstine 1842-1916

bp. Fred'g
Aug 10, 1806. L.R.)

(190) George Lampkin 1859-1929

Olivia Asselstine, his wife 1861-19

Wesley A. Potter 1854-1940

Cornelia E. Asselstine, his wife, 1867-19

Rosena, dan. of Nora & Abel Potter 1937-1943



Lutheran Church Record

Asselstine

Nicholas, b. Aug 6, 1807 son of Isaac Asselstine & ux. Mary
Barbara. Father's Zachariah Fradick & ux Lena
Katie, b. Nov. 7, 1809, dau. of Isaac Asselstine and Barbara Fradick
Benjamin b. Mar 23, 1812 son of Isaac Asselstine & Mary Barbara
Fradick.
Sarah, b. June 27, 1815, dau. of John Asselstine & ux Mary.

Marrriages

Dec. 28, 1830, Nicholas Asselstine & Mary Barbara Sicker, both
of Fredericksburgh.

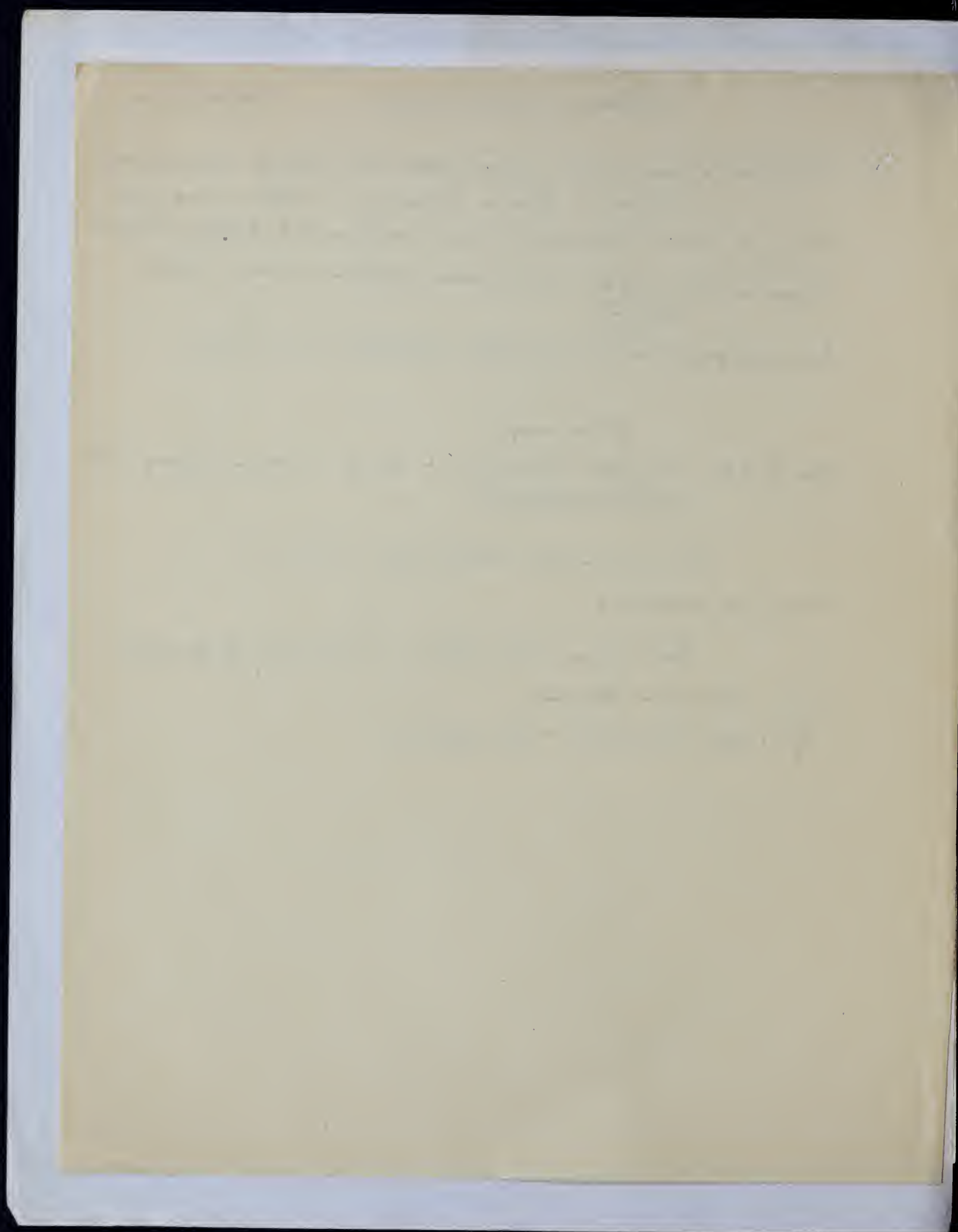
Communicants at Ebenezer in Oct 1836

Barbara Asselstine

Members in Investment. (Probably about 1830)

John Asselstine Deacon

Mrs. John Asselstine & daughters.



Children of Benjamin Asselstine and Mary Jemima Aylsworth(6). She was born July 22, 1833, He was a carpenter, and they dwelt in Kingston, Ont.

1. Margaret Eleanor(7), born May 23, 1860.
2. Georgianna(7), born Dec. 4, 1860.
3. Frances Adelaide(7), born Sept. 23, 1863 (Married Albert Graham).
4. David Perry(7), born March 31, 1865.
5. Marcia Edith(7), born May 13, 1866; died Feb. 5, 1868.
6. Hannah Elizabeth(7), born April 17, 1868.
7. Robert Whiting(7), born Dec. 24, 1869.
8. Mary Edeth Mabel(7), born April 9, 1875.
9. Helen Aylsworth(7), born March 3, 1878 (married Wm. P. Deroche, died Sept. 7, 1937).

Aylsworth Family Reunion.

Descendants of Bowen Aylsworth

Frances Adelaide(5)(Mary(Asselstine)(4), David(3), Bowen(2), Job(1)), ~~Odessa~~ wife of Albert Graham, Portsmouth, Ont., and daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Aylsworth) Asselstine.

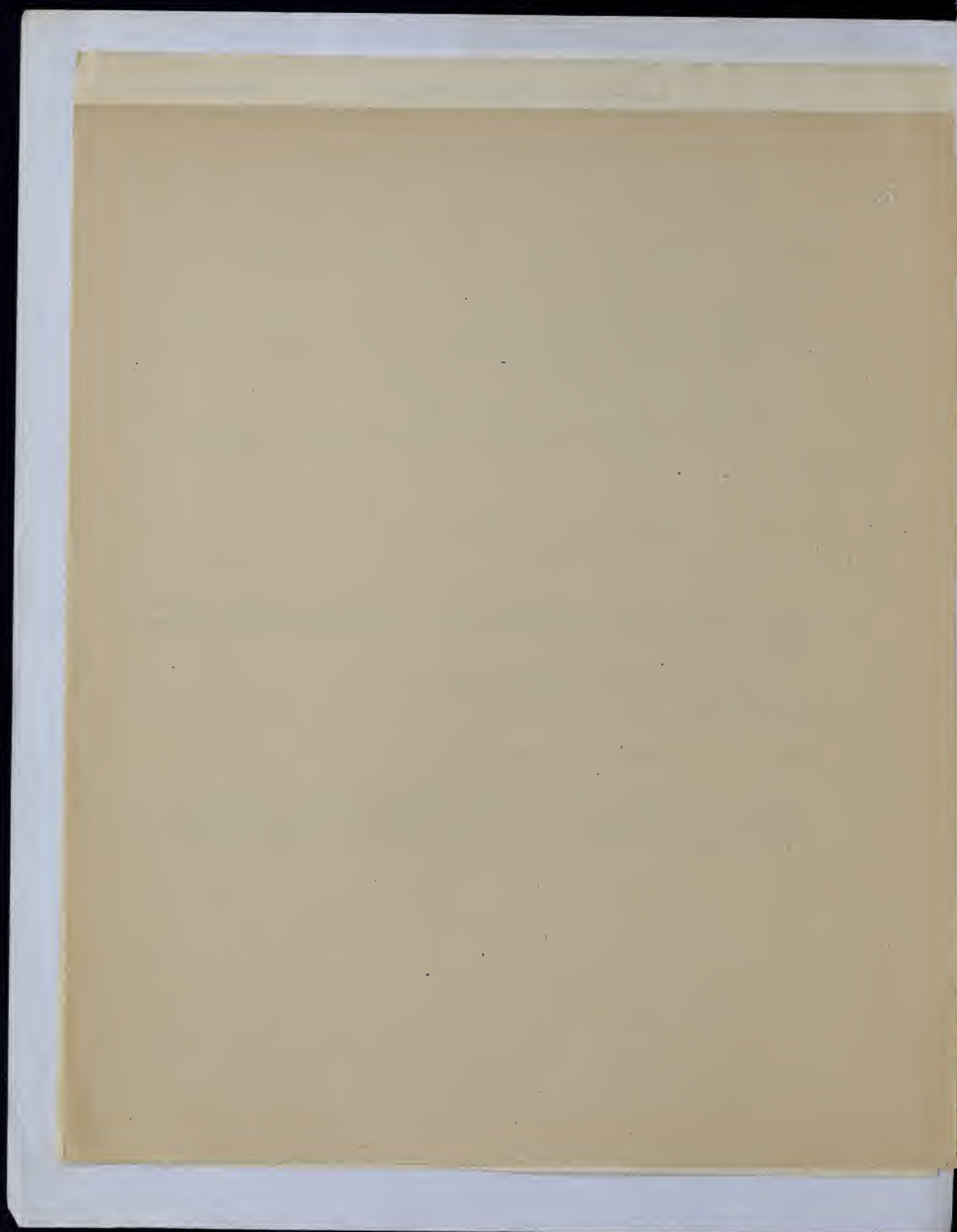
Children

George A. Graham(6), Portsmouth, Ont.

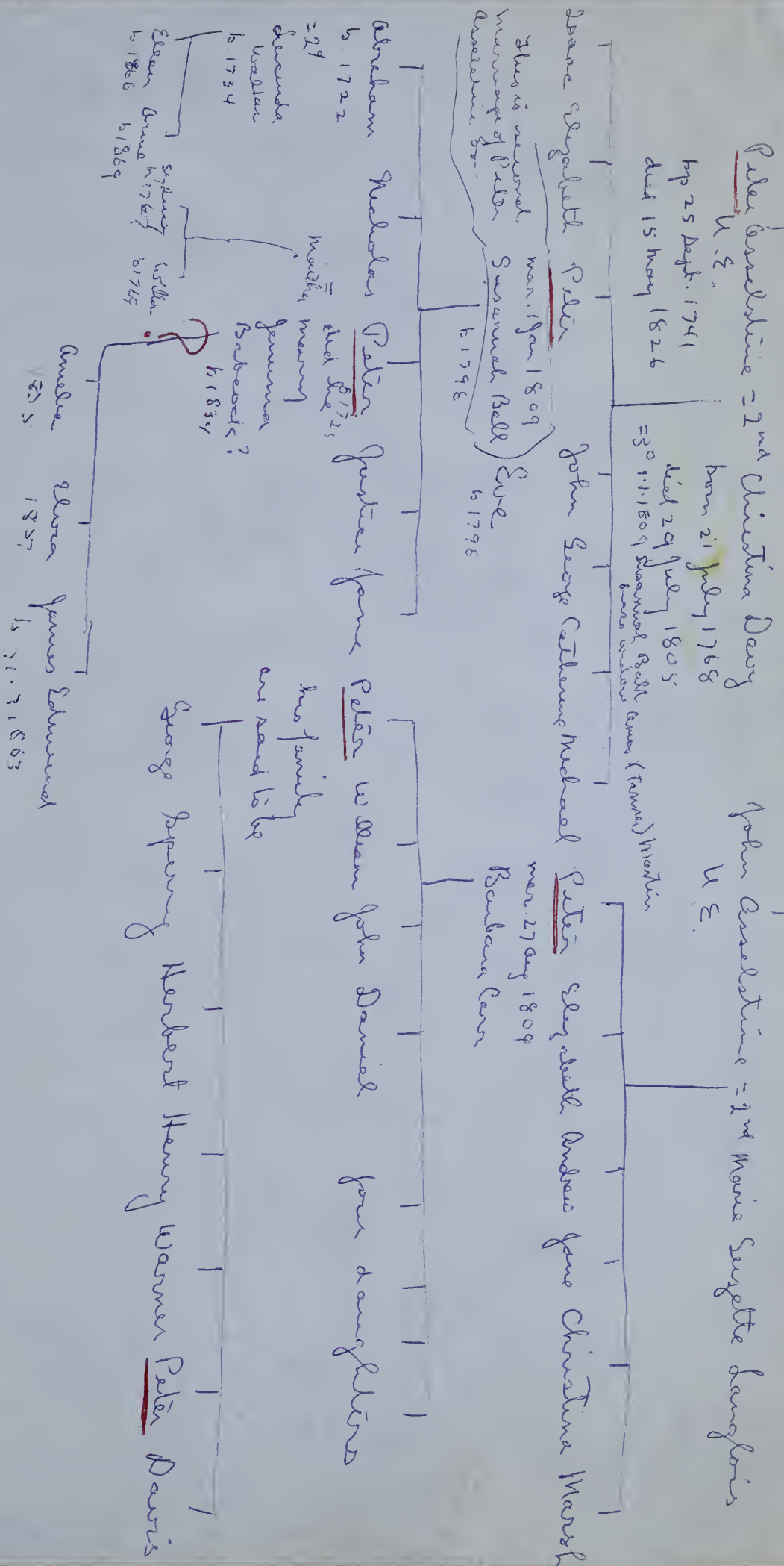
Helen Aylsworth(5),(sister of Frances Adelaide(5)(q.v.), wife of Wm. P. Deroche, Napanee, Ont.

Friends of the Family Present as Guests.

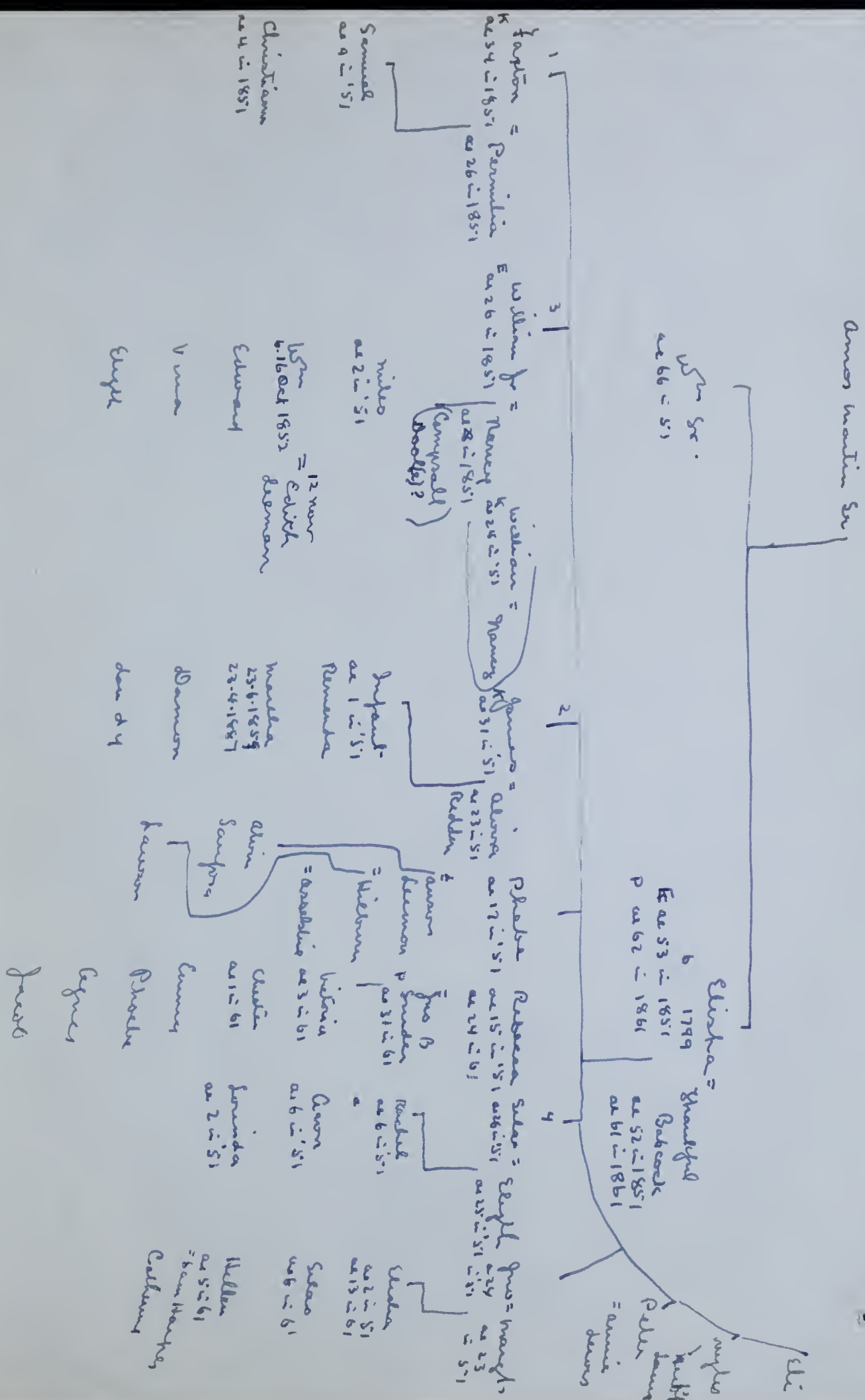
Frances M. Asselstine, Odessa, Ont., granddaughter of Isaac Asselstine, a nephew of Mrs. David(3) and of Mrs. Robert(3)(Bowen(2), Job(1)) Aylsworth.
William H. Shaver, Winnipeg, Man., nephew of Miss Frances M. Asselstine, son of Elizabeth(Asselstine) Shaver, a granddaughter of Isaac Asselstine.



brothers and daughters who came to Ontario in 1784







Simmons Orderly Book

Appendix I

Private Abraham Reschenberger	22 Sept to 24 Oct
Valentine Mereman	" "
Abraham Scott	" "
Peter Hogadorn	" "
John Doel	" "
John Hopplebone	" "
Jacob Shemitt	" "
William Zufalt	" "
Petrus Kemmer	" "
Charles Neher	" "
Calix Gubbirt	" 18 Oct
Jacob Hogaboom	" "
Jacob Haver	" "
Jacob Haghlatin	" 24 Oct
John Port	" "
Bartholomew Hesse	27 Aug

Joined 27 Aug 28

" 22 Sept 17

Left 18 Oct

7 (Deserters after Capitulation?)

Subsistence Wanted for His Majesty's King's Loyal Americans
 Commanded by Lt. Col. Ebenezer Jessup.
 Commencing 25 June and ending 24 Oct 1777

✓ Shown in above list - ticked in red.
 add George Finkle



List of Freeholders of Albany County, 1720

Claverack.

Jobias Tenbroeck
 Cornelis Mulder
 Cornelis Esselstine
 Jeremias Mulder
 Derrick Hogoboom
 Cornelis Huyck
 Isaac Vandusen
 Jno. Hoose
 George Sidnem
 Richard Moor
 John Hardyck
 Hends. Van Saltsbergen
 Jacob Van Hoosern
 Kasper Van Hoosern
 Saml. Tenbroeck
 Peter Hogoboom.
 Rob. Van Deusen
 Caspar Conine
 Frank Hardyck
 Johannes Van Hoosern.
 John Bout
 Wm. Halenbeck.
 Johannis Coole
 John Rees
 Wm. Rees
 Johannis Scherp
 Andries Rees
 Ghondia Lamafire.
 Hendrick Whitbeck
 Jurie Fretts
 Hendrick Lodowick
 Jacob Eswin
 Jurie Jan
 Clouds Lamatere
 Nicols Vanduse Cats Kill

Simmons Coy. 1777

John Simon
 Gord Raus
 Wil Sol
 Henry Fickel
 Baller Simon
 Henry Enderson
 Jacob Bonistiel
 Andres Miller
 Aber^m Reyfberger
 Pitter Stieuer
 Jacob Hes
 Conrath Rosman
 Nickles Hofman
 Aber^m Scot
 fridrich Becker
 Pitter Esselstein
 John Eszelstein
 John Meikel
 Pitter Hagelton
 Vallentin Herman
 David Hofman
 Jost Hofman
 Philip Bonustiel
 John Paork
 John Schertz
 Matis Runo
 John Lieb.



Claverack

Baptisms.

- 1727, Feb. 7 Cornelia, d. William & Feytje Yselsteijn.
 1728 Apr. 5 Jannetje d. Isaack Yselsteijn.
 1731 Mar. 1 Cornelia, d. " " & Rachel Boongart.
 1736 Aug. 7 Cornelis, s. Johannes Esselsteijn & Maria
 " 7 Wyltje d. Jacob & Magdalen Esselsteijn.
~~1738 Jan. 25 Abraham, s. Isaac~~
 1757 May 1 Elisabeth, d. Cornelis Muller & Cornelia Esselsteijn
 Jul 3 Madlena, d. Richard Esselsteijn & Mayke Blom.
 1759 May 27 Jannetje, d. Cornelis Muller & Cornelia Esselsteijn
 1760 Feb. 25 Apollonia, d. Richard Esselsteijn & Mayke Blom.
 1761 May 10 Jacob, s. " " & Maritje "
 1765 Feb 24 Cornelia, d. " " & Mayke "
 May 16 Johannes, s. Cornelis Muller & Cornelia Esselsteijn
 1767 Jul. 26 Heyltje, d. " " " "
 1770 Nov. 4 Cornelis, s. Richards Esselsteijn & Maria Van Alsteijn.
 1772 Sep. 22 Mary, d. Joseph Esselsteijn & Catharina Graet
 1773 Jul. 13 William, s. Richard " & Maria Van Alsteijn



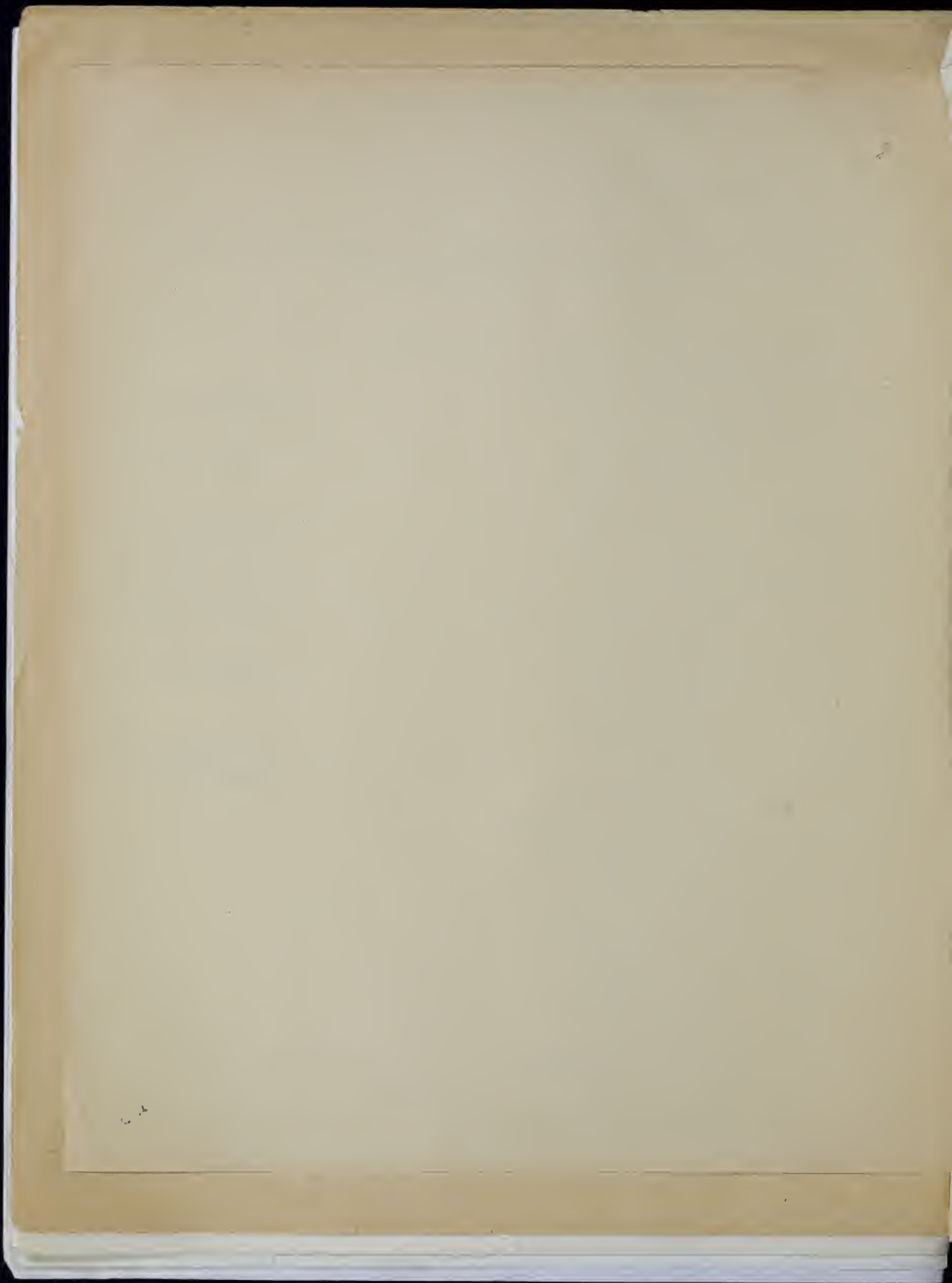
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Appendix 1

Taken from Walden and Papers

Pay Roll of Captain Christian Wehr's Company, King's
Loyal Americans Commanded by Lt. Col. Ebenezer Jessup.
21 August to 24 October 1777

✓ Captain Christian Wehr.	21 Aug to 24 Oct	
✓ Lieut. Hendrick Simmons	"	"
✓ Ensign Christian Hever	"	" (also Bowes)
Sergeant George Rouse	"	"
✓ " John Simmons	"	" (also Rolfe)
✓ " William Ruels	"	"
✓ Corp. Henry Finkle	"	" (also Rosman)
✓ " Conrad Bosman	"	" (also Stover)
✓ Privates Peter Huber	"	" (also Mitchell)
" John Michel	"	" (also Bonesteel)
" Philip Bonesteel	"	"
" Jacob Hers	"	" (also Eselstine)
✓ Peterus Eselston	"	"
✓ David Hoffman	"	"
✓ Frederick Baker	"	" (also Mathias Coens)
✓ Liza Coons	"	" (also Baltus)
✓ Balser Simmons	"	"
✓ Hendrick Enderson	"	"
✓ Andries Miller	"	"
✓ Joseph Hoffman	"	"
John Eselston	"	"
Nicholas Hoffman	"	"
Jacob Hoffman	"	"
John Miller	"	"
Jacob Haver, Jr	"	"
Jacob Near	"	18 Oct
George Hoppleber	22 Sept to 24 Oct	
John Shirts	"	"
Jacob Bonesteel		



Township Papers, Ernesttown.

ASSELSTINE

Patent to Isaac Asselstine of West $\frac{1}{2}$ + 1/4 E Quarter of Lot 29
Concession 3, Ernesttown.

Marriage Register

Silvester Asselstine, age 27, born in Portland, lives in Camden
mar. 17 July, 1862, Martha Demson, aged 23, born in Richmond,
resides in Camden, dau of Ransell & Polly Demson.
He son of Jacob and Hannah Asselstine

Henry Asselstine, son of Isaac & Hannah, aged 67, born in Ernesttown
& resided in Kingston (~~on road~~) married Mrs. Charles Chamberlain,
dau. of James & Janet, married 14 March 1867, she born in life-
shire Scotland, and resides in Niagara.
(see page 67)

Patrons 1878

Kingston Township

Asselstine, J. E. Conc. 1 Lot 15 Farmer Coblenburg Can 1839

Portland Township

Asselstine E. Bellbrook Dealer in Lumber & Bellbrook Ont 1862
Millwright Proprietor of Saw Mill

Bedford Township

Asselstine, William Mill Owner & Mechanic Conc. 3 Lot 8 Glen Dower Can 1807

Ernesttown Township Conc. 3. Lots 25, 26 Wooden Manufacturer Odessa Can. 1846
Asselstine, M

" Mrs M. S. Odessa Canada 1823

" Davis Conc 3 Lot 29 Carpenter & Joiner Odessa Can 1841

Camden Township

Asselstine, John Conc 6 Lot 2 Farmer Overtown out. 1822
" W. W. " 1 Lots 47, 48 " Colebrook " 1843

over

South Fredericksburgh Township

Asselstone N Cons 6 Lot 15 Farmer

Hawley Ont 1808

" Grogg " 2 " 18 " Treasurer 5.7 "

" 1833

Aylsworth Genealogy.

184 RUFUS (5)(Job 4, Job 3, Philip 2, Arthur 1), born 1811, married 1838, Mary Hawley who was born in 1814. They dwelt in the Township of Portland, and afterwards in the Township of Hinchinbrook, with post office of Godfrey, Ont. Children:

1. Sarah (6), born 1839, married Rufus Jackson.
2. William (6), born 1841.
3. Mary Ann (6), born 1842, married Richard Boughton (Botting).
4. Fanny Jane (6), born 1845, married John Asselstine. (She was mother of Sam. Asselstine, of Verona.)
5. Davis (6), born 1847.
6. James (6), born 1848, married Ida Carter.
7. John Spike (6), born 1850.
8. Amanda, born 1852 (6).
9. Clarinda (6), born 1855, married Aurelius Snider.
10. Aaron (6), born 1857.
11. Charles Thomas (6), born 1859.

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Census of 1851, Portland Tp.

160	Asselstine, Jacob, farmer	b. Can.	E. Meth.	48	b. 25.4.1805
	Hannah			47	b. 30.5.1806
	Elizabeth			21	b. 13.11.1831
	Silvester			19	b. 23.7.1833
	George			17	b. 8.4.1835
	Margaret			15	b. 1.2.1837
	John			13	b. 25.11.1838
	Cyril			12	b. 9.9.1840
	Isaac			10	b. 10.9.1842
	Ira			8	b. 14.6.1844
	Cathrin				b. 20.5.1846

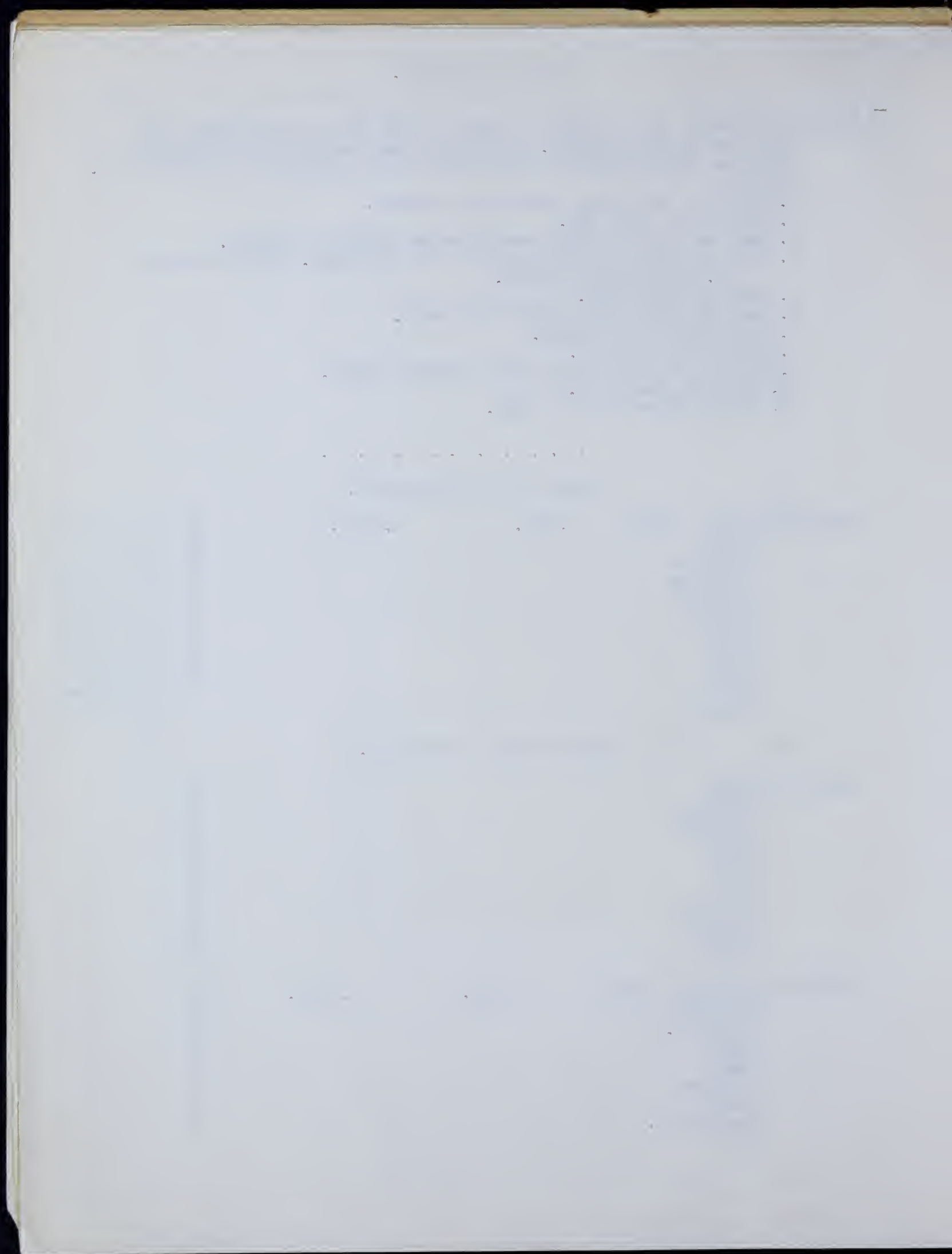
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Census of 1861, Portland Tp.

Asselstine, Jacob	53
Hannah	52
Silvester	27
George	24
John	21
Isaac	18
Ira	16
Elizabeth	28
Melissa	15
Cyrel	19

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Asselstine, Benjamin farmer	b. U.C.	E. Meth.	48
Charlotte			39
William W.			18
Cyrus			16
Agnes			14
Nicholas			11
Colman			8
Charlotte E.			5
Mary			2



Census of 1871

Kingston Township.

			Ontario	W. Moth	English Farmer
Asselstine	Peter 73 m)				
	Eve 73 m)				
	Abraham 49 m)				
(Walker)	Lucinda 37 m)				
	Gilbert 15'				
	Ellen 5'				
	Anna 2				
Asselstine	Peter 46 m)				
	Martha 21 m)				
	Sydney 4				
	William 2				



John A. & Marie S. Langlois (2nd wife)

married 27 Aug 1809

Peter A. & Barbare Carr

Elizabeth Andrew Jane Christian Marsh

Birth dates from 1810 to 1835

Peter A. & *wife?*

William John Daniel 4 daughters

Birth dates from 1830 to 1860

George Sperry Herbert Perry Warner Peter Davis



John W E = Katherine



Isaac = Mary Barbara Raleigh dau Jacob + Anna
b. 1777
Jacob Nicholas Benjamin Wm Kate Eliza Anna

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Cyril Oct 4 1842

Cyril J. A = Alice Eliza (Clark of Camden)

b. Oct 1825

b. 11 Jan 1816

d. 15 Sept 1894

bur. Violet

d. 16 Dec 1875

bur. Violet

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Nicholas A = 1^o Grace Smith

b. 2 Oct 1855; d. 18 Nov 1894

bur. Violet

of Wilton

2^o Isabelle Smith

b. 8 Apr 1845; d. 21 Jan 1929

bur. Violet

of S.E. lot 17 Conc 6

in 1878

b. 15 May 1848; d. 11 May 1925

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Blake b. 1852-83 = 1^o Harriet Mathews d. 1913
2^o Nora McAlister d. 1948
He d. June 30, 1951 aged 68 yrs
Ed. Japanese Collegiate Queens U., MA 1905
Normal College 1906
Taught Central High Sch., Calgary, for 26 yrs
Retired 1948

Robert of Wilton
Emilia of Wilton
Grace Wm Mills of Wilton
Claude of Calgary Alta
Proctor d. 1895
Oliver d. 1941
Proctor d. 1895
Alta b. 6 Nov 1894
d. 24 Jan 1895
bur. Violet

Harriet Three Hills Alta
Helen = H. Leary of Calgary
Ed of Calgary
Margaret = E. Sanderson of Edmonton
Brendon of Samia Ont
4 grandchildren



Hon. W. J. Asselstine Is Honored by Home Town

Member of British Columbia Cabinet Pays Visit to Verona to Renew Old Acquaintances.

1938

VERONA, March 11—On Wednesday night Verona Community Hall was the scene of one of the happiest and most interesting events to be held here in many years, when the local friends of the Hon. W. J. "Bill" Asselstine of Vancouver, B.C., held a banquet, followed by a public reception, as a mark of their high regard for and a tribute to his splendid attainment.

At the banquet, which was held at six o'clock, more than one hundred invited guests were seated at three beautifully arranged tables carrying out the color scheme of white, rose and green. Cut flowers, roses, daffodils and snapdragons, formed a beautiful decoration on the tables so well provided with delicate refreshments. Mrs. Olive Walker had charge of seating the guests at the head table with Mr. and Mrs. Asselstine occupying the place of honor, while others seated at this table included his sister, Mrs. G. Anderson, Toronto, his brother, H. W. Asselstine and wife; James Wilson and daughter Minnie of Barryvale, Rev. R. J. Merriam, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Percy, E. M. York; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lakins of Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Craig and son Robert of Perth and Mrs. H. W. Reynolds of Kingston.

Those in charge of the tables were Mrs. C. Grant, Mrs. Ruth Pue, Mrs. Olive Walker, Mrs. Ila Rousom, Mrs. George Brown, Miss Trousdale, Mrs. Fred Snider and Mrs. O. E. Kerr acted as conveners.

At the conclusion of this part the doors were opened to the public. George W. Lakins was then appointed toast master and a lengthy program followed, consisting of short addresses recitations and community singing with Mrs. E. L. Martin presiding at the piano. The guests giving short addresses and who paid high tribute to the guest of honor included, W. Vannest, Fred Denison, Rev. R. J. Merriam, J. G. Walker, B. J. Snider, Roy Graham, W. D. Percy, E. M. York, H. M. Wilkins, Mrs. E. A. Tallen, Mrs. W. Connolly, Mrs. H. W. Reynolds, T. H. Craig, Mrs. T. H. Craig, James McMullen, Mrs. Olive Walker, E. L. Martin contributed a recitation. At this juncture Mr. Asselstine was called to the platform amid applause. The audience rose and sang "He's a Jolly Good Fellow." His address which followed was full of interest and spiced with his original humor. It was a masterpiece and much appreciated by those in attendance.

Mr. Asselstine leaves for Toronto on Monday where he will be the guest of honor at a banquet to be held at the Royal York Hotel. He will later visit Ottawa before leaving for Vancouver March 23rd. During the interim he will spend most of his time with his mother, Mrs. S. Asselstine, who is still in quite delicate health.

This is his first visit to his home town since June 1927.

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Hon. Charles Dunning was very well advised to take two hours in the middle of a busy session to deal faithfully with the fantastic and amorphous fallacy of Social Credit. Students of finance know that it is all nonsense, but by no means all of the voters are students of finance. They cannot be expected to see through the mists of obscure and involved theorizing in which purveyors of "quack remedies" love to indulge. "Catch phrases," glib assumptions, half-truths deceive the hasty readers. Only the clear logic and the high authority of the minister of finance, supported by his corps of departmental experts, can blow away the fog and reveal the unescapable and stubborn facts.

The answer to the Social Credit thesis is the Bank of Canada. Mr. Dunning displayed excellent strategy in making this antithesis plain. These radical panaceas are all based upon aroused hostility to some pilloried class—capitalists or bankers. The Bank of Canada is not owned and controlled by "capitalists." It is controlled by Canada. It is not an obedient instrument of "the bankers" who come in for so much abuse from people who know little about them. It is an instrument in the hands of the Government of Canada which acts and speaks for the whole Canadian people. It is not out to make money. It does not try to earn fat dividends. Its sole purpose is to provide the people of Canada with sufficient currency to transact their

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WEDDINGS

DELINE—ASSELSTINE

MARLBANK — A pretty autumn wedding was solemnized in the parsonage at Deseronto when Rev. A. D. Waite united in marriage, Helen Mae Asselstine, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Asselstine, Marlbank, and Clayton C. Deline, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Deline, Sulphide.

The bride was charming in hat and dress of wine shade and wore a corsage of tea roses. The only witnesses were the parents of the bridal couple.

Nov. 3, 1938

Immediately after the ceremony the newly-weds left on a motor trip to the United States via the international bridge. After the honeymoon a reception will be held in their honor at the home of the bride's parents, near Marlbank. Mr. and Mrs. Deline will make their home in Nanapanee.

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KIWANIS MEETING

A meeting of the Kiwanis Club is being held at 6:30 tonight in the large plant cafeteria of the Aluminum Company.

...ple who have sent Barbara greeting cards. During the past few days she has received no fewer than 200 of them. Other generous gestures have been made by the local cleaning firm of Cleland and Flindall Ltd. who sent her a talking doll and the sailors from H.M.C.S. Cataragui who gave her a musical bear.

Deaths and Funerals

Mon Nov 10/52 (con of 170)

ERNEST BAILEY ASSELSTINE

The death of Ernest Bailey Asselstine, 78, of Collins Bay, occurred in the Kingston General Hospital Friday. He had been in ill health for some time.

Mr. Asselstine was born in Kingston, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Asselstine. He was a carpenter by trade. He attended the United Church in Collins Bay and had been a Sunday School teacher at the Congregational Church. He was a member of the Galilean Lodge, A.F. and A.M. Everett.

Survivors are one brother, Herbert of Toronto; three half-brothers, Morton of Collins Bay, Roy of Shumacher, Ontario, and Oliver of Calgary; three half-sisters, Mrs. Frederick Potter (Edith) of Ketler, Mrs. Clayton Thompson (Florence) of Vancouver, and Mrs. Jessie Saunders of Collins Bay. A brother, Arthur, predeceased him in July of this year.

The funeral service will be held on Monday from the Robert B. Cullen funeral home to Cataragui Cemetery with Rev. C. E. Clarke officiating.

MRS. ROBERT S. DARLINGTON

The death of Ethel Jane Darlington, 52, wife of Robert S. Darlington, 322 Alfred street, occurred suddenly at her residence on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Darlington was born in Ireland the daughter of Alexander McKane and Annie McCallum. Previous to coming to Kingston in 1929 she had lived in Winnipeg.

peg. She attended St. Luke's Church.

Mrs. Darlington is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Maureen Margaret Griser of Memphis.

The funeral service will be held this afternoon from the Robert B. Cullen funeral home to Morven Cemetery. Rev. R. H. Braman will conduct the service.

WILLIAM JOHN MARSH

The funeral of William John Marsh, 90, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. J. Garway, R.R. 1, Sydenham, was held from Sydenham to Cataragui Cemetery on Thursday.

Rev. A. C. McCullum conducted the service.

Pall-bearers were Jack Peters (nephew), John Garway and Gordon Garway (grandsons), Ernest Baker and Gerald Baker (great grandsons) and J. M. Sigsworth (neighbor).

Mr. Marsh who was born in England had been a life-long resident of Kingston until he moved to his daughter's house at Sydenham in 1940. While in Kingston he worked as a street car driver when they had horses and later worked as a male nurse at the Ontario Hospital where he remained for 38 years. He was a member of the Church of England and for a time belonged to the Chosen Clans.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. D. J. Garway; four grandsons, and two great grandchildren. His wife predeceased him 8 years ago.

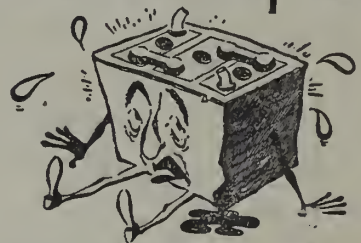
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you make a lot of trouble for her."

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Harold S. Packer Is Guest At Festival

Harold S. Packer, A.T.C.M., prominent Kingston musician, was the guest of his publisher, Charles F. Thiele of the Waterloo Music Company, at the 20th anniversary Waterloo Band Festival, in which 60 bands took part, in Waterloo last Saturday.

The band festival was founded and promoted by Mr. Thiele, who has just accepted for publication another book by Mr. Packer, entitled "Up Melody Lane With Stephen Foster."

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Many thousand lovers of band music attended the festival to hear competition between bands and instrumental soloists, many of whom travelled great distances to take part. Mrs. Dorothea Murphy, supervisor of music in the Kingston Public Schools and a member of the Bandmasters' Association was among them.

The competitions were conducted at the Waterloo Park bandshell, baseball stadium, park pavilion and in tents spread over the 60-acre park area.

Three Stay In Hospital

Three of the four young people who were admitted to the Kingston General Hospital following a traffic accident at Eastview Park, six miles east of Kingston on Highway No. 2, Saturday night, are still in hospital and will be there for some time.

Condition of the three, John Burleigh, 23, Bath; Gladys Workman, 22, Toronto, and Shirley Petherick, 20, Campbellford, is satisfactory. Burleigh suffered serious head injuries, Miss Workman, a fractured hip, and Miss Petherick, a serious back injury.

M. J. Bernhardt, 23, of Toronto, who was admitted to hospital from the same accident, was discharged Tuesday. He suffered face and knee lacerations.

Belleville is one son, Mr. J. R. Clark (Emma), Kingston; Mrs. James Lorimer (Oneita), Belleville; and Mrs. George Spencer (Rita), Frankfort; two brothers, Charles, London and Harold, Niagara Falls, Ontario.

MORTIMER DAVIDSON WANDELL

Mortimer Davidson Wandell, husband of the former Edna A. Booth of Kingston died at his summer home in Pawling, N.Y., Friday.

ASSELSTINE—In the Kingston General Hospital, on Sunday, June 29, 1952, Arthur J. Asselstine of 138 Bay St., beloved husband of Harriet Fleming, aged 82 years. Funeral took place from James Reid Funeral Home, 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to Cataract Cemetery.

ARTHUR J. ASSELSTINE

Arthur J. Asselstine, 82, of 138 Bay street died at the Kingston General Hospital Sunday. He had been in ill-health for several years.

Mr. Asselstine was born in Collins Bay, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Asselstine. He farmed in Collins Bay until 1914 when he came to Kingston. While in Kingston he was a salesman but has been retired for several years.

He was a member of Princess Street United Church. He was also a member of the Independent Order of Foresters and had been given a 50-year jewel. He had held several offices in the organization. Mr. Asselstine married the former Harriet Jane Fleming of Amherst Island 57 years ago.

Surviving besides his wife are two daughters, Mrs. Harry Bruton (Grace), Kingston; Mrs. Gerald Parker (Marion), Windsor; a son, Norman, of Flint, Mich.; two brothers, Herbert, Toronto, and Ernest, Collins Bay. There are two grandchildren.

Also surviving are three half-brothers and half-sisters, Norton, Collins Bay; Roy, Timmins; Oliver, Calgary; Mrs. Fred Potter (Edith), Kepler; Mrs. Clayton Thompson (Florence), Vancouver, and Mrs. Jessie Saunders, Collins Bay.

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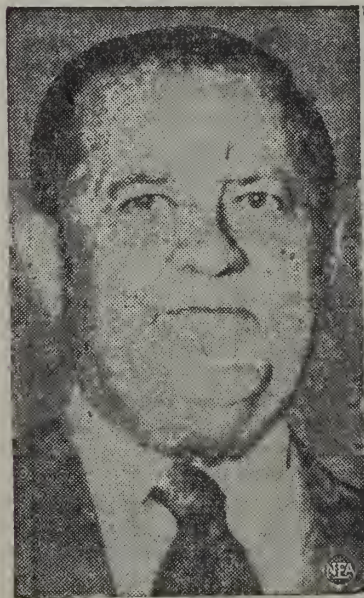
the General wanted. Then he insisted on meeting the leaders of the association, and telling them in no uncertain terms that he "demanded" their co-operation.

Thus the General has brought the military manner effectively to bear on civilian problems, and it is getting results. Up and down the country these associations are beginning to function. They are playing a big part in running the resettled "squatters."

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Tremendous progress has been made with resettlement — the task of creating new towns to house the rounded-up jungle "squatters." It is estimated that 400,000 of some 450,000 "squatters" have been resettled.

How does resettlement help the campaign against the bandits? It means that in 18 months there are 400,000 fewer potential allies for them, for when these "squatters" were out on their own in the jungle, unprotected, they were at the mercy of the bandits. At the best they were unwilling collaborators, giving food and running messages for the bandits.



LEADS OFF FOR G.O.P.— Walter S. Hallanan, of Charleston, W. Va., has been chosen as temporary chairman of the Republican National Convention, which opens in Chicago, July 7.

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21 to 36 kilometers.
Absorbing solar ultraviolet—35
to 45 kilometers.
Supplying aerodynamic lift—at a
80 to 110 kilometers.
Supplying diffuse daylight—
100 to 140 kilometers.
Absorbing meteors—110 to 1
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POPULAR GAME BIRD

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BERTHA KATE ASSELSTINE

SILLSVILLE — Bertha Kate Asselstine, widow of Schuyler French, in her 73rd year, passed peacefully away at the home of her son, Erle, on May 10. During her short illness she was affectionately nursed by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Agnes E. Cummings.

She was the second daughter of Whitney A. Asselstine and Matilda Martin, of, Richmond township. Most of her life she resided north of Napanee, but for the past several years she had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Percy Merritt, Silsville. She was a patient and loving wife, mother and grandmother; also a faithful member of the United Church, Sunday School and Women's Association.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on May 13 at Morven United Church, where Rev. W. Neelands, Deseronto, and John P. Robinson, Adolphustown, conducted the service. The Morven choir and Mrs. John P. Robinson

expressed their sympathy in song. Funeral arrangements were made by Tierney Funeral Home.

Pall - bearers were Harold Grooms, Harold Hough, Perry Young, Morley Creighton, Bert Windover and Roy Sharpe, of Silsville. Interment was at River-view Cemetery.

To mourn her passing are her children, Erle, Napanee RR 1; Mrs. Percy Merritt (Irene), Napanee RR 2; Mrs. Harvey Lee-man (Luella), Belleville; Howard, Deseronto; Randall, Perth Road; Mrs. Ernest Ruttan (Betty), Bath RR 1; Raymond, Thomasburg; and Gerald, Napanee. Her son Lorne died in early life. Also mourning are four sisters, Mrs. J. F. Davidson (Lizzie), Winnipeg; Mrs. Ernest Kerr (Ephie), Selby; Ada, Nanaimo, B.C.; Anita, Whitehorse, Yukon. One brother, Willie B., and four sisters, Mrs. Perce Windover (Mae), Mrs. Fred Armstrong (Marguerite), Luella and Adelia died in past years.

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Police reported a number of accidents occurring over the weekend, all of a minor nature.

Deaths And Funerals

JOHN S. ASSELSTINE

John S. Asselstine, of 254 Alfred street, died suddenly at Kingston General Hospital on Saturday following a heart attack.

Born in Kingston the son of John Asselstine and his wife Myra Pannell, he lived here all his life. He practised optometry for about 40 years before his retirement five years ago.

He was a member of Sydenham United Church and of the Masonic Order from which he received a life membership for 50 years' service. He also received a honorary life membership in the Optometric Association of Ontario. He was an active member of the Kingston Lawn Bowling Club and the Kingston Curling Club.

Surviving are his wife the former Gertrude Whitfield, a daughter, Mrs. Lindsay Galbraith, (Audrey), and a sister, Myra Asselstine.

MISS DOROTHY T. CLARKE

The funeral of Miss Dorothy T. Clarke, 51, of 325 Johnson street, who died at the Kingston General Hospital on Friday after an illness of several months, was held today from the Robert J. Reid funeral home to Riverside Cemetery, Napanee.

The service was conducted by Rev. C. D. McLellan, of Napanee, and the pall-bearers were Scott Wiseman, William Wilson, C. I. Russell, J. S. Sheppard, Ross Milligan, and George Chambers.

Born in Napanee, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Clarke, she moved to Kingston 15 years ago. She was employed nearly all that time as a cone operator at the nylon plant. She attended Grace United Church.

Surviving is a niece, Mrs. A. Wilkins (Marie), of Hamilton.

AWARD MADE

At Friday's sitting of the Supreme Court of Ontario in the court house, Mr. Justice J. M. King handed down judgments in favor of the plaintiffs, Fred P. Corey and Frank Scibilia, in the case against Earl Edward Deano. The plaintiffs' claim was for assessment of damages. Mr. Justice King awarded \$756.58 to Corey and \$5,749.16 to Scibilia.

COURTEOUS COPS

BRIGHTON, England (CP)—Police at this Sussex resort are learning French, to help tourists from the continent.

tions and on the two questions, the bus franchise and reduction of council, will be collected and disseminated.

Progress and final reports tonight will be available by telephone. The number is 8-4401 and special arrangements have been made at The Whig-Standard offices to speed service.

Results of the mayoralty contest are expected to be known first and its likely that a definite trend will have been established for other contests soon after polls close.

Tomorrow detailed coverage of voting figures, election highlights, and tabulated ward-by-ward accounts will be published.

Car Forced Off the Road

A car driven by James A. Moffatt, Camp Ipperwash, was forced off the road and through a guard rail three miles west of Kingston on Highway 2 at 1.45 a.m. Saturday, when an oncoming truck, driven by William G. Jackson, 240 Montreal street, passed a transport driven by Oliver G. Gallop, 66 Shelton Road, Agincourt.

Damages to the three vehicles were estimated at \$150 to Moffatt's car, \$15 to Jackson's truck and \$50 to Gallop's transport. There were no injuries.

The tow rope attached to the front end of a car in which John M. Bero, 34 Southvale Drive, Leaside, was a passenger, came loose three miles east of Kingston on Highway 33, caught under the right front wheel and forced the vehicle out of control, sending it into the south ditch. Damage was estimated at \$175.

Cars driven by Donald E. Grant, 468 Barrie street, and Robert G. Gilpin, RR 1, Westport, collided on Highway 38 on Sunday at 2.15 p.m. when Grant attempted to make a left hand turn. Damages were estimated at \$75 to each car.

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their marriage.

Luck may not be ready to accede to this demand, but she should know that if she doesn't, she is following a course that will bring her little "happiness." She was wrong and foolish to enter into the affair with Gary and she was still more foolish to marry a man she believed she didn't love. Her self seeking her riding roughshod over law, morality, the feelings of others will bring her to disaster. She must learn to stand by her decisions and contribute something to make them a success.

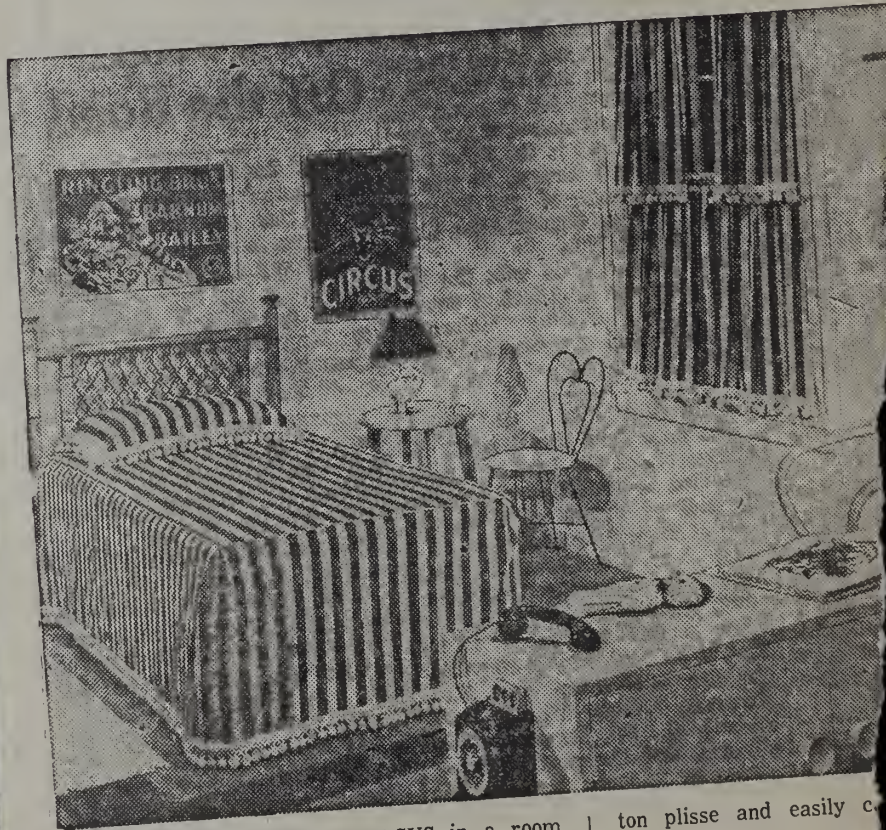
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It's a Room to Grow In



CHILDREN HAVE A CIRCUS in a room such as this, and mother will have a picnic keeping it in order. Spread and curtains of cot-

ton plisse and easily c budget items.

By KAY SHERWOOD
NEA Staff Writer

As families grow larger so does the interest in children's rooms and the ways of furnishing them attractively and inexpensively.

A friend reminds me that climate plays an important part in her planning. With a "bucket of sand" tracked in or spilled from pants pockets and cuffs in the course of a day, and strong winds that blow fine dust deep into the fibres of curtains, she requires floors that are easy to sweep, fabrics that wash and dry with little effort.

Hot, humid climates take their toll of furnishings, too. So does strong, year-around sunlight. In her experience, she thinks it better to use inexpensive fabrics and simple patterns. Sew items your-

self if need be, and plan to replace them more often, she writes.

Recently, I saw a child's room that could be adapted to any climate and answered some of her special requirements.

The linoleum tile floor is easy to sweep, to damp-mop or wash.

A small, washable, latex-backed rug by the bed offers cozy footing for cold mornings.

Sturdy, lightweight rattan headboard and chair with a plastic-webbed seat and back are also easy to take care of. Rattan has a fine reputation for good service in hot, humid climates as well as temperate areas.

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Daughter of the late Oscar Asselstine, and his wife, the former Marion Lochhead, Miss Kathryn Asselstine died Mar. 28 in Windsor. She was born in Lennox and Addington County and was a member of the county's branch of the Bay of Quinte Loyalist Association through the soldier's Loyalist settlement of 1783.

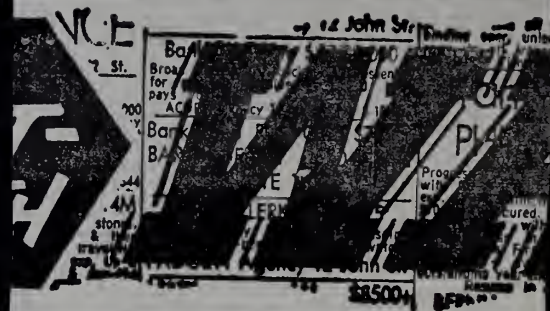
Miss Asselstine attended Napanee Collegiate and graduated from the School of Nursing of the Rochester, NY, General Hospital in 1911 and served as a nursing sister in the First World War. After demobilization in 1919 she returned to Rochester and secured a diploma in public health nursing in 1921 from Rochester University. She also served on that city's Visiting Nurse Association staff.

On July 1, 1922, she joined the health nursing staff of the Detroit, Mich., health department and later studied briefly at Simmons College School of Social Work in Boston, Mass.

Miss Asselstine retired in 1940 from the public health staff in Detroit and that fall moved to Windsor, where she was a member of the public health nursing alumni of the Detroit Department of Health, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Windsor and the Border Chapter of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire.

Miss Asselstine leaves a brother, Dr. S. M. Asselstine, Windsor, and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Mar. 31 at Morris Memorial Chapel in Windsor with interment at Victoria Memorial Cemetery.



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Charles of Napanee. She was predeceased by one sister, Miss Emma, about two years ago.

Her funeral is to be conducted at the residence of her sister, Centre Street, on Thursday afternoon, and interment will be in Riverside cemetery.

BLAKE ASSELSTINE DIED SUDDENLY IN CALGARY

Edward Blake Asselstine, son of the late Nicholas A. Asselstine of Wilton, Ont., died suddenly at his home in Calgary, Alta., on June 30th, at the age of 68 years.

After graduating from the Napanee Collegiate Institute, he entered Queen's University, graduating with an M.A. in 1905. He graduated from Ontario Normal College in 1906 and taught one year in Ontario. He then moved to Alberta, where he taught school for forty years. He had been at Central High School in Calgary for 26 years before retiring in 1948. He visited friends and relatives in Ontario, last summer.

He was predeceased by his first wife, Harriet Mathews, in 1913 and by his second wife, Nora McAlister, in 1948. He was also predeceased by three brothers, Proctor, in 1895, Oliver in 1941 and Bert in 1945.

Surviving are three daughters and two sons: Harriet, Three Hills, Alta; Mrs. H. Leary (Helen) and Ted of Calgary; Mrs. E. Sandergaard (Margaret), Edmonton; and Gordon, Sarnia, Ont. There are four grandchildren. There are also two brothers and two sisters, Robert, Gretta and Mrs. William Mills (Grace), of Wilton; and Claude, of Calgary.

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On the Farm Front: By Reg Whitt

Little Bit of Dirt

May 1 marked the complete conversion to bulk milk hauling by another Kingston dairy. All milk shippers to Hemlock Park Dairy Ltd. are now operating with the bulk tank milk cooling system. Some of the dairy's larger shippers have been using bulk tanks for some time.

Brookside - Price's Dairy Ltd. was the first Kingston dairy to operate under this system for fluid milk, having started a year and a half ago.

Officials of Hemlock Park Dairy point out the new plan has numerous advantages, not the least of which is the reduction in traffic congestion on Princess street. Formerly 15 small trucks driven by individual shippers and six large trucks arrived at the plant daily, whereas now two

large tank trucks will deliver the dairy's milk supply.

The installation of bulk milk coolers represents a major investment for dairy farmers, who plan to continue shipping milk to the fluid milk trade. This added to the cost of proper buildings and stables and expensive machinery necessary for farm operations, means today's farmer has several thousands of dollars invested before he can hope for any returns.

This fact is something that should be remembered by the general public, especially those professional people who demand high salaries and fees—because their education was quite costly. The average farmer's costs and investments are much more, yet he

has to continue to pay a decent price for his milk.

The question of milk perfection on the farm, we expect and expect to get. If the shirts come off, still our pants are off. If they don't, well now as

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R. B. Page vation officer will be a hunting course held in building Kingston, beginning May 4, at 7.30 following date 13 and 15. The given by H. Kingston District Gun Club.

Let us hope will be stress the hunters for the farmer will be out on next few though compensation paid for such we are sure concerned with

Deaths and Funerals

ERNEST ASSELSTINE

WESTPORT—The last surviving member of a well-known Westport district family, Ernest Asselstine passed away recently at his home about 5 miles from the village.

Born Aug. 5, 1880, he was a lifelong resident of the area and had lived his entire life on the homestead. Since the passing of his sister, Nina, nineteen years ago, he had lived alone. Although he was of a retiring nature, he was widely known due to his varied talents and interests.

As a young man he worked with his father, Thomas, who operated a saw mill near their home and also did carpentry work throughout the district.

His parents, Thomas and his wife, the former Zady Jones were descendants of the United Empire Loyalists. Thomas was sheriff and tax collector for a number of years. Ernest later purchased a farm near the homestead and kept busy on the farm and acted as a guide on nearby Wolfe Lake. He did a good deal of hunting, tanning

the deer hides himself and making his own moccasins and mitts. He was especially talented in the repair of guns, clocks and other mechanical devices.

Mr. Asselstine passed away very suddenly at his home.

Besides his parents he was also predeceased by five sisters—Miss Nina Asselstine, Mrs. Wm. Barker (Annie), Mrs. Eli Barker (Sarah), Mrs. John Hamilton (Zatty) and Mrs. Wm. Barker (Almeda). He is survived by a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held from the Goodfellow funeral home and were conducted by Bruce Ross, student minister of the Westport United Church.

Pallbearers were, Opie Barker, Errol Hamilton, Carl Hamilton, Harold Hamilton, Ted Walker and Harold Taggart. Interment was in the Thompson Cemetery, Bedford.

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good turn of speed, and I
wanted the lead badly, par-
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sloppy track at Churchill
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on the track, and I really
had to hustle Hoop Jr. away
from the gate. But we got
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with Bymeabond and won
by six lengths.

Then there was Hill Gail,
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with Hill Gail, making use
of his good speed, and then
held him together through
the stretch when he was
tired and trying to stop. We
won by two.

People have often asked
me if post position means
anything in winning a Derby.
Well, I must admit I'd rather
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Obituary

R. W. Asselstine

The funeral of Robert W. Asselstine was held from the Wartman Funeral Home in Napanee with interment at Riverview cemetery on Saturday, February 13. Rev. W. K. Pace conducted the services. The pall-bearers were six nephews. The flower-bearers were Mr. Asselstine's seven grandchildren. The deceased who had been in his usual good health passed away suddenly at his residence in Deseronto on February 11.

Born at Marlbank in 1887, he was the son of Oscar Asselstine and Marion Ann Lochhead. He was a farmer on the family homestead near Marlbank until 1941 when he moved to Marlbank and operated a service station and garage until July 1955. In 1956 he took up residence in Deseronto.

He was an active member of Marlbank United Church and later a member and official of Deseronto United Church.

In 1913 he married Cora Mildred Reid of Enterprise who predeceased him in 1944. From this union there were four children: Aubrey Robert, who resides on the family homestead; Mrs. Wendell Burns (Jean Elizabeth), of Napanee; John William of Dearborn, Mich.; and Mrs. Jack Ballance (Marion Ann) of Port Hope. In 1948 he married Jennie Olivia Cummings, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William E. Cummings of Big Creek who survives him. He is also survived by one sister Miss Kathryn Asselstine of Windsor, Ont., and two brothers: William Oscar of Marlbank, and Dr. Stanley M. of Windsor, Ont.

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in forwarding mail in general. He gave the audience some slight idea of the enormous task the post office department has in keeping the service at its present high standard. The speaker also showed a film which showed the task of distribution in both large and small centers.

Following the film he answered questions of those in attendance for a short period. The thanks of the Home and School were voiced by Mr. Roach who mentioned the appreciation of the people of Deseronto for the opportunity of hearing Mr. DeRosiers.

Pee Wees Beat Trenton 4-3 In Fast Hockey

The Trenton Pee-Wees were rudely awakened on Saturday night at Jim Moore's squad came up with their best game of the season to post a 4-3 win over the air force lads.

Napanee held a 2-1 lead in the first period on goals by Bill Joyce and John Alkenbrack. Bob Benham tallied the Trenton goal.

Trenton got the only goal of the second period at 3:25 Tom Glover scoring while Joyce of Napanee was sitting out a penalty.

In the last period Lemieux put Trenton ahead at the 1:30 mark 3-2. Napanee roared back and at 5:10 while a man short, John Alkenbrack combined with Vick and Forbes to tie it up. At 7:45 John Alkenbrack got the winner on a pass from Vick and from there in Pete Webster in the locals' cage barred the door and preserved the 4-3 win.

whole affair, in spite of the horror that he still seems to be a most interesting problem. The rats upon the stores of men had laid up for these had gradually turned into a great re-flesh. Then, when dried fruits and nuts were depleted, — for certain in at least this other d. Under such circumstances seemed a question single rat would die even though the ones might be dying and sickly and weak will go first," he then those that are d or sickly or weak and so on." ally," said Em, who owed disconcerting just be two great to fight it out—like cats?" d that before such he rats would have ce that they would un to forage upon of food.

ROBERT A. ASSELSTINE

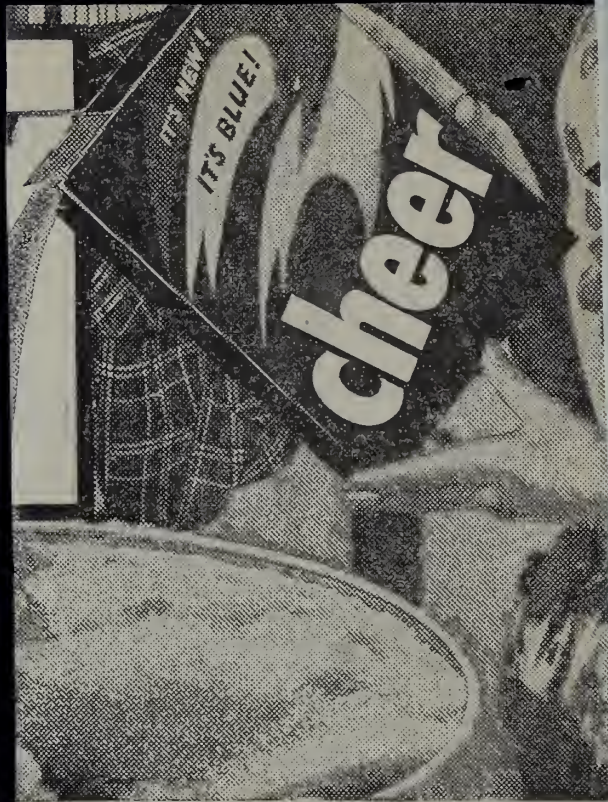
The funeral of Robert A. Asselstine, who died in Saskatoon was held from Knox United Church, Saskatoon. Rev. Duncan G. Wilkie conducted the service and interment was made in the family plot in Woodlawn cemetery, Saskatoon.

Deceased was born in Kingston 83 years ago, the son of the late Benjamin Asselstine and Mary J. Aylesworth. He was a graduate of Queen's University and went to Saskatoon in 1911 where he had many teaching appointments. He was for a time inspector of schools and taught in Normal School. His last post before retiring in 1934 was principal of Saskatoon Normal School.

A charter member and past master of Lodge Progress, No. 92 AF and AM, and past president of the Canadian Club he was also former deputy district commissioner of the Boy Scouts.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Alvin Warkentin, of Saskatoon; two sisters, Mrs. Frances A. Graham of R.R. 7 Kingston, and Miss Elizabeth Asselstine of Napanee.

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CAN SAVE

4 January, 1972.

Mr. A. I. Asselstine,
4811 Argyle Street,
Vancouver 12, B. C.

Dear Mr. A. I.;

It is about time that I replied to your letter of Dec. 16th, and give you my findings and possible suggestions to solve your problem.

I have been over your problem a number of times since the receipt of your letter. I have gone through the three files which might give a clue. The Asselstine file, which contains about 200 pages, got the greatest handling. My Babcock file, of one hundred and twelve pages, also received some attention. Then, I have a Lee file of about a dozen pages. But, in none of these files can I find a clear-cut proof of Peter Asselstine's connection with the Asselstines.

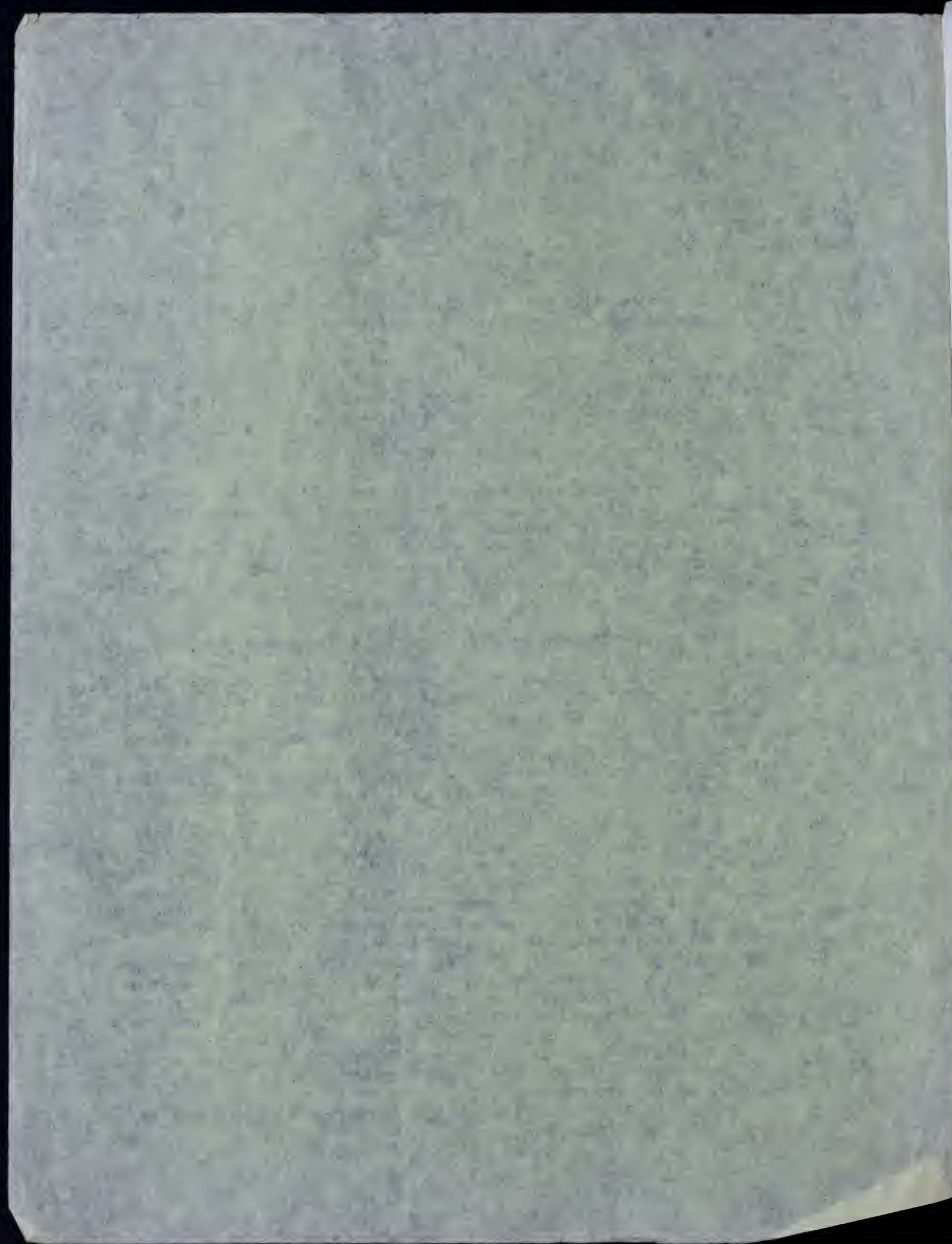
I am enclosing a chart which will show all the Peters appearing in a family genealogy. In this genealogy all the children of all the families are not shown. You will note the two brothers, John and Peter who came to Canada as Loyalists. Both of them were married twice and both had sons named Peter. Both these sons were married in 1809, and both had sons named Peter who were born about 1810 to 1815. Any son of these two Peters could be the father of your Peter who married Judith Babcock.

The problem for you is to find just who his parents were. There are some things yet to do.

1. On the chart which you filled out for me, you write that Peter died in 1884. If this was in Ontario, there might be a death certificate in Toronto. The Department of Public Records might be able to supply one.
2. You mentioned the census of Richmond and of London, but you only gave me news of that of Richmond, evidently in 1871, which names Peter and Juliana, with children, Maria, Livia and James. You should have obtained the census records for both 1851 and 1861. Then, by putting all three together, the parents of Peter might be discovered.
3. It is too bad that the Registry Office did not reply to you. This they never do. You, or your representative, must appear there, and do your own searching. There can be found all records having to do with a certain piece of land. Wills are also found there. It is also a charge for your privilege of viewing the land records. Copies of deeds, wills, etc., can be obtained at fifty cents a page for photostatic copies. Napanee is twelve miles from Bath, while Kingston is seventeen miles.
4. Canada records are in Ottawa, as you may already know. I have a man there who charges \$3.00 an hour for research. On the other hand, my daughter and I can obtain a loan of films from Ottawa. Cost of search is at the same rate. You have your choice. Perhaps you can get films on loan, as we do. Otherwise, you would need to come east and do your own search. However, I feel that brief search in the Registry Offices in Napanee and Kingston will prove which of these Peter Asselstines is yours. It will mean further expense, but not too much.

If you are sincere in wanting to know your ancestors back to Holland, I shall be hearing from you.

Sincerely



A.I. Asselstine
4811 Argyle St.,
Vancouver, B.C.
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Aug 28th, 1974,

Dr. H.C. Burleigh, M.D., C.M.,
Bath, Ontario.

Dear Doctor Burleigh;

A "few" days have gone by since we last corresponded, but the research still goes on. Some of the items obtained are not connected to the picture as far as lineage goes, but every so often, I manage to acquire a document of some type, that is related to the family. The overall situation has never been, directly, to wave my hand in the air and state that such & such has been substantially proven, as that would take all the fun out of it. It is merely a situation of deep interest and continuous curiosity, which gives me a sense of real enjoyment, and opportunities to probe into something that may only have a minor connection with the whole "status quo"

Before proceeding, how is the summer weather behaving in your locality? Are you still having those "mildly" warm days there, that we experienced on the day I was hoping to meet you? July started off with rain here, off and on for the first ten days, but it has been pretty good ever since. It was cool here for two or three days, just recently, but it has gone back to the hot weather again. I suppose that confectionery near you is still the coolest spot in town. It sure was the day we were there, when I went in to get some soft drinks. It was about 80° or 90° outside, though.

To "get down to cases" once more - . By providing further clues and omitting the best one (I'll elaborate later), I managed to get a registry of decease of Peter A. from Toronto. This was the second time I had asked, the previous one about three years ago. To elaborate now - I told Toronto that Peter's will had been registered at Napanee in Feb 1884, and presumed that he had passed away, only a short time prior to that. Toronto managed to come up with the registration, after a second search, at that time, and it turned out that he had passed away 4 years before that. The clue that I omitted - thinking it was unimportant - was that the will was made out on Feb 14th, 1880. Peter died on Feb 17th, 1880. Age at decease was 49 years 8 months, which would make the year of birth 1831. His birthplace was Ernestown, but name of parents not stated. His wife, Jemima was born 15 Oct. 1830. This information should be correct now, in relation to what I told you before. I am enclosing copies of the charts you sent me, to



show how you stated the possible line of lineage. With regard to the census reports you referred to in your letter - date 4 Jan/74 - the 1861 report of Richmond Twsp. only showed Peter and Jemima and two daughters, and the 1871 report of Camden Twsp. showed Peter and Jemima with two daughters and a son, but neither mentioned the parents at all. The 1851 of Richmond has parts missing, but I think I have looked at it two or three years ago. The 1851 report of Ernestown may show Peters parents, but I do not remember now whether or not I looked at it, but I suppose it would be the only spot to look now. I can get those films through the library here. On your charts you have a notation like so - **K 1875** - and I was wondering if you might elaborate, as I do not know what it refers to. Please excuse the rather wobbly figures, as that was done when the paper was still in the typewriter. You can also see that I change machines "every 500 miles". However-----.

Well, Doctor, that appears to be about all the "propaganda" for the moment, as no doubt you will agree, but at the same time, this is not an inference that you check your files as such. It may not necessarily help you in that respect, but at least the "data" should be valid this time. Oh, sorry, one more question, on the chart showing the line of descent from John A. (see the third line) do you know the wife of Peter A. ? The word wife is written in in pencil, not a photostat copy. To put it briefly, what comments do you have?

Yours sincerely,

A. S. Seltman

The first part of the paper discusses the importance of the study and the objectives of the research. It also outlines the methodology used in the study and the results obtained. The second part of the paper discusses the implications of the study and the conclusions drawn from the research. It also discusses the limitations of the study and the areas for further research.

The study was conducted in a laboratory setting and involved the use of a series of tests to measure the performance of the system. The results of the tests were compared to the theoretical predictions and the conclusions drawn from the research. The study found that the system performed well under the conditions tested and that the theoretical predictions were generally accurate.

The implications of the study are that the system can be used in a variety of applications and that the results of the research can be used to improve the design of the system. The conclusions drawn from the research are that the system is a viable option for the application and that the results of the research can be used to improve the design of the system.

The limitations of the study are that the results were obtained from a laboratory setting and that the conditions tested may not be representative of the conditions in the field. The areas for further research are to conduct field tests and to investigate the effects of different parameters on the performance of the system.

4811 Argyle St.,
Vancouver 12, B.C.
Nov 28, 1971.

Dr. H.C. Burleigh,
Bath, Ontario.

Dr. Burleigh:

In a reply to an enquiry to the Whig-Standard a few weeks back, they mentioned four names, wherefrom enquiries might be made to research the information I had asked them about. One of the names stated was yours, and I believe it may have been you that my wife and I wished to see when we visited your "thriving metropolis" around noon in June about five and one half years ago. Do you live in a white house on the main street in Bath? The gentleman of that house was away at the time and unfortunately-for us that is, we had to press on else where for other reasons as well. However-----

The dates involved are taken from the census reports of Richmond Twp.-1861, and Camden Twp. 1871, so which one is correct I do not know. Peter Asselstine was born in 1832 or 1834, day and month not shown. I am assuming that he was born in either Richmond Twp. or Ernesttown Twp. I believe he lived near Wapanee. The Trinity United Church in Wapanee is not the first one so I could not find a marriage record there, of Peter Asselstine and Jemina Babcock. I am guessing that they were married in 1853 or 1854, as the first child was born in 1855. Peter and Jemina may have been married at Newburgh, but I strongly suspect Wapanee. Peter's supposed relatives are John and Rose-Ann, but I have no proof of this. I know that Rose Ann was born in Ernesttown, but the parents names were not stated on the death certificate. The Whig-Standard has several microfilm records of births and marriages, but suggested that they



cannot take the time to go through these themselves, as the information is not quite accurate enough to tie the date down right away. This is true, but it appears to be all the information I can find so far. About the latest effort I have made, and this is a few months back now, is enquiring about certain land grants through the land registry office at Napanee. I have written to them twice, but they have not replied, so that appears to be about the tail end of the run. Then I referred to the Trinity United Church at Napanee, I should have mentioned that the first one had burned down, hence the lack of earlier records there. Oh yes, another relative of Peter's is supposed to be a James Asselstine, who lived in North Crosby Twsp, as did Rose Anne. Toronto had no death registration for him, so that was one more source ruled out.

That is more or less the whole story, but not exactly in a nut shell. I am not suggesting for a moment that you dash madly into Kingston to look at their records. Let us put it this way, if you will--if you have a moment to reply some time, let me know your comments on this situation, as to whether or not you may think that most possibilities--if any, are good bad or otherwise, and perhaps we may be able to proceed from there. May I thank you for your possible consideration. Did you perhaps see a notice in your local ^{paper} while ago that a Mr. Walter Aseltine--born in Napanee--has passed away in Saskatchewan.

P.S. My grandparents were James E. and Caroline Asselstine of Inverary, who bought a farm near Edmonton about 1913. He was born in Richmond Twsp, in 1863.

Yours respectfully

A. I. Asselstine

A.I. Asselstine

Laughlin file
Dave

impressed
relations

John &

Rose Ann

she lived

in No. Crosby

Peter Cassattine =

b 1832-34

Richmond on

Emmettstown

lives near

Maple

Cor 7 lot 12

Kingslon 1865

c 1853-4

James Babcock

b.c 1830-32

James
of

No Crosby Tp

alcohol

b 1855

James E = Caroline

of

Inverary

B. Richmond

b 1863

Kingslon Tp 1865

Abraham 7 lot 15 f

Justus 7 13 f

Nicholas 7 16 f

Peter Sr 7 12 f or 33

" Jr 7 14 f m 1853-4

A 1

Called great grandson
of Peter

4811 Argyle St
Vancouver 12, B.C.
Dec 16, 1971

H. C. Burlingh, M.D., C.M.
Bath, Ontario.

Dr. Burlingh;

Thank you very much for your very interesting letter of 5 Dec 1971. It was a bit of a surprise that you had replied so soon, but very much appreciated. Please accept my apology for the written letter, as the other half is not too interested in this type of hobby, hence the lack of using the typewriter at the moment. Even then, when it is used, the close observer will probably notice that it is not being done by the "qualified tradesman". You will probably assume that I could have been "frightened away" by the financial status quo, and with the number of years gone by, you have probably heard a lot of screaming when your form is received. To be quite honest, I have probably been in that "Club" for a while too, but for the reason that I have been working on this since I missed a



visit with you at that time. This as, infers that I have not got away "scot-free" in that period, hence my wariness of the monetary status quo. To "brief" you, if I may, I have made enquiries through church ministers in that area, the Land Registry office at Napanee, the Mormon Church in Utah, the United Church in Toronto, and the Ontario Museum as well, but all the info. I have obtained is what you see on your form, and the other one that is typed out. I have not gone into detail about the Alberta end of the story as that would be rather pointless anyway. The Scottish side is at a dead end as well because of lack of info. in the parish records, but do not put any time on the mothers side of the family anyway. About the last enquiry I made was to the Land Registry Office in Napanee re two lots in Ernesttown owned by a Peter Asselstine - to see whom it may have been purchased from, but the office did not answer even after a second letter.

Peter Asselstine passed away prior to Feb 13, 1884, which is calculated from his last will & testament - a copy of which I obtained from Napanee, but exact date unknown and Toronto has no record of it

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either, so that eliminated the possibility of finding out his parents names. I did not see this cemetery at Napanee, but it is the one beside the Napanee - Newburgh Rd, and he & Gemma are believed to be laid to rest close to the edge of the river. Whether there were stones or wooden markers on their plots - I do not know. Now - in connection with Napanee - the only person who may have a family bible owned by her mother - which might provide a clue - is Mrs Helen Powell of 269 Center St, Napanee. She is a descendant of one of my great grandfathers daughters. I have not heard from her for a few years now, and a lady I know in Kingston is trying to find her - but has had no luck so far. Perhaps your honorable daughter should visit the lady in Kingston as she is a real family history enthusiast and is connected to the same name as mine. She sent me several pages of some of the families she has researched on and I think you would "have a ball" if you will pardon that phrase. The lady concerned is Mrs. Norma M. Breath, of 73 Westmorland Drive - Kingston. Her very fine husband - Earle - is with the Aluminum Co. of Canada - in that same city. They are



a truly wonderful couple, and are
"rock hounds", as one of their many hobbies.
If you have not met this couple, I
practically insist that you do - you would
not regret it.

Meanwhile - back at the ranch -

The info. you have now is probably not too
suitable but that is all I could find to
date. To repeat - James, John, and Rose-Ann
were supposed to be Peters family, but I have
not confirmed this. James & Rose-Ann lived
on North Crosby Twp. and are laid to rest
near Westport. Rose-Ann was born in

Ernesttown, but no parents names on the
death certificate. Toronto has no record of
James. It was a Miss Pearl Hamilton of
Nelson St - Kingston, who informed me of the
names of Peters family, but it was verbal info.
from her mother - so again - no proof. Well -
we'll see what happens - I am enclosing a
cheque for the sum of \$9.00 for study of your
immediate files, but I do not suppose you
will need three hours to find out that
Peters is a "missing entity". However - I will
leave that in your capable hands. Thank
you very much.

oh yes - I spoke to Mr. William
A. on the phone, about 2 yrs ago, but
that is as near as we got.

Yours respectfully
~~A. I. Assestine~~
A. I. ASSESTINE

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ASSELSTINE

The records stated below are the only ones that have been located so far in relation to this family. There has been no record found of the parents of Peter, or later on, the marriage of Peter Asselstine & Jemima Babcock. Other information related to them, has been found in the census reports of the townships of Richmond and Camden East in Lennox-Addington County, Ontario.

Asselstine, Peter Born 1834 (day & Month unknown) Upper Canada (Ontario)
 Asselstine, Jemima (nee Babcock) Born 1834 (day & month unknown) Napanee, Ont
 " Amelia Born 1855 Richmond Township, Ontario.
 " Elvia " 1857 " " "
 " James Edmund Born March 31st 1863, Richmond Township, Ontario

Asselstine, James Edmund and Caroline Lee, married at Napanee, Ontario, on Dec. 6th, 1883.

Asselstine, James Edmund,	Born March 31, 1863	Richmond Township, Ontario
Asselstine, Caroline	Born Dec 9 1857	Colebrook, Ontario
" Edwin Blake	" Oct. 18 1884	Richmond Twsp. Ontario.
" William James	" April 23 1886	" " "
" Nile Percy	" Feb 9 1888	" " "
" Gertrude M.	" June 20 1889	Kingston " "
" Milford Clayton	" March 26 1891	" " "
" Laura M.	" March 23 1894	Storrington Twsp. "
" Lillie M.	" Oct. 10 1896	" " "

Asselstine, Milford Clayton and Mary Isobell Fleming married at Edmonton, Alberta, 16th Dec. 1915.

Asselstine, Milford Clayton	Born March 26 1891,	Kingston Twsp. Ontario
Asselstine, Mary Isobell	" Sept 10 1887	Argyle, Scotland.
" Arthur Irving	" March 28 1921	Edmonton, Alberta.
" Iona Mary	" June 26 1927	Vegreville, Alberta.

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GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

THIRD GENERATION

FOURTH GENERATION

FIFTH GENERATION

PEDIGREE FORM.

Father's
Father → JAMES EDMUNDB MARCH 31, 1863
M DEC 6 1883
D APRIL 15 1930
R INVERARYFather's
Name → MILFORD CLAYTONB MARCH 26, 1891
M DEC. 16, 1915
D JUNE 21, 1945
R INVERARY

PATERAL

Father's
Mother → CAROLINEB DEC. 9, 1857 (COLEBROOK)
D SEPT 5 1929

ANCESTORS OF

Name → A. I. ASSELSTINE

B
R

MATERNAL

Mother's
Father → PETER FLEMINGB 1842
M JAN 2, 1874
D DEC 2, 1914
R ARGYLE SCOTLANDMother's
Name → MARY ISOBELLB SEPT. 10 1887
D JULY 17, 1961Mother's
Mother → ISABELLAB 1854
D NOV 24, 1951B=Born
M=Married
D=Died
R=Resided

James Crawford

PETER

B 1832 ~ 1834
M 1854 ~ 1855
D FEB 1884R RICHMOND & CAMDEN EAST
TWSPS.

JEMIMA (BABCOCK)

B 1832 ~ 1834 - NAPANEE
D JAN 14 1914B M
D R

B D

B M
D R

B D

WESLEY LEE

B 1827
M 1853 ~ 1854
D DATE UNKNOWNR PETERBOROUGH (HENRY TWP)
NTH & CAMDEN EASTB M
D R

B D

ANGELINE

B 1836
D DATE UNKNOWNB M
D R

B D

DONALD FLEMING

B 1787
M 1828 ~ 1829
D DATE UNKNOWN
R ARGYLE, SCOTLANDB M
D R

B D

ANNE

B 1801
D DATE UNKNOWNB M
D R

B D

PETER M^cDOUGALLB 1820
M 1848 ~ 1849
D DATE UNKNOWN
R ARGYLE, SCOTLANDB M
D R

B D

JANET

B 1816
D DATE UNKNOWNB M
D R

B D

NOTE:- Start with the youngest
generation or yourself.

Return to H. C. Burleigh, Bath, Ont

Peter Sr - Christie
Mary

59 Peter Asselsdine & wife Susannah Ball, mar 1 Jan 1809 (sea)

- 77 - Abraham & Lucinda Walker - Calhoun Lillian Sney Mary
78 Nichols - Martha An Hunter - Damon Justice Alfred Rylander John Hannah Emma
79 Peter — George Spang Herbert Henry Warner Peter Davis
80 Justice
81 Jane — Debra Smith
- Cassie
Ida
Hannah

60 Peter Asselsdine (Peter d 1756 d 1826) & Barbara Corn 27 Aug 1809
bapt 18 Jan 1789 5/15/57

152 Peter

153 William

154 John & Mary — Zenas, John, Sofia Cary

155 Daniel - Clancy — John Jones Annally 1800 1844 1846 1849

156 dau

157 "

158 "

159 "

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1878 1865

Peter in Camden Cone 1 Lot 5

Wesley Lee Ernest Cone 5 Lot 34

Dr. H.C. Burleigh
Bath, Ont.

74 Ellis Ave. Windsor

June 30th / 64

Dear Dr. Burleigh: - You'll note I'm still ^aabove ground
and as keen, I believe re: history & genealogy as prior years.

I have our Martin family fairly clearly set up to Amos
Martin, our U.E.L. progenitor, and now leisurely working on
our Upper Can. settler family John Moore of Marysburg, Bay
of Quinte Settlement.

Varied early spelling: Mohr. "Palatine settler" origin; Moore & Moore.
I am quite sure prior to Upper Canada they were ⁱⁿ Tyron, &
Montgomery area of New York State.

I have the descendants of John & Mary Moore, complete list
with names & their marriages (8 children); date of John's death & age
at death (providing his Bible records are correct).

That John Moore was in General Haldimand's 34th Regiment a
Sergeant. Public Archive (Upper Canada) shows a deposition made
by him Aug. 12-1809 stating he received Certificate for lot 33 in
Marysburg containing 100 acres ^{have been} 40 allowed & praying for 60
additional. (This ^{land} patent in his name 1810. He ^{married} on Assent Roll in 1824.

Loyalist John Moore of Osnabruck Storvront County; wife
Mary Goos, daughter of Fredrick Goos; both John Moore &
his father-in-law Fredrick were soldiers in "Royal Yorkers" in
Capt. Daley's Company. (Under Johnson Command).

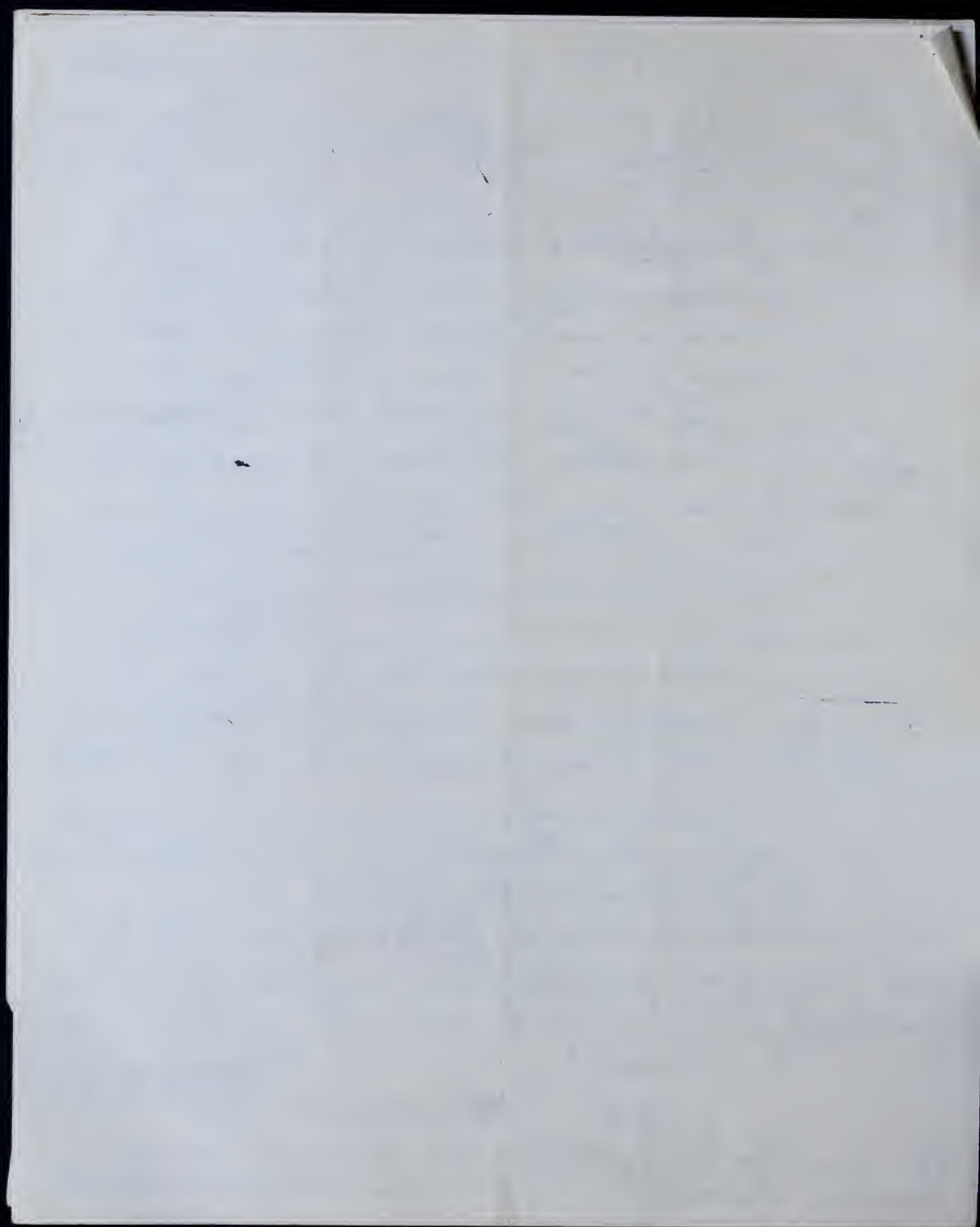
(In Dutch N.Y. ^{State} records Goos, is often written as Goes & English
wrote it later, as it ^{is} pronounced in Dutch; Hoes. In Archives is
^{recorded} birth date, viz: John Moore born 1759 in "Province of New York".



I'm of the opinion the two John Moore, were related,
#1 ^{reason} is that my grandpa born 1820 who's wife was Catherine Moore
visited in area of Prescott, Ont. ^{some years to} prior 1879, & "the high light"
of that ^{trip} was a visit to Ogdensburg N.Y. ^{State} and I have a dozen
Silver spoons grandmother bought on that visit, therefore I
assume some relatives were in or near Prescott ^{Ontario} that would
be as far as most St. Lawrence ^{River} Navigation (then) would carry them,
Upper Can. Archives provide no record of children, descendants
of John Moore and Mary Goos. (Osnabrock township, ~~Seamont~~ Co.).
The "moore" child stolen by the Mohawks in New York state
as tale ^{direct} ^{William} verbally came down thru all of John & Mary Moore's
descendants. Canniff's history of "Upper Canada Bay of Quinte
settlement" tells the story. Osseronto Mowhawk Reserve have
an ^{old} faded photo of a white woman reared from ^{early} childhood
as an Indian, which they refer to as "Christian Moore". The
given name of Christian, for men & Christine usually, for women
was a name in Mary Moore's ^{family} parental forbearers. This tale
"fact or fiction" is not confirmed, but must have some
foundation, or it would not survive thru all of Mary Moore's
descendants & ^{the} Mowhawk tribe Loyalist settlers.

A long letter this, but have you further records on either or
both, John Moore, early Upper Canada settlers, wife of each
named Mary. Just in case you have. (I'm writing you, but I'm not too)
Sincerely,
(Miss) Kathryn Asselstine N.E. Concerned re: Moore
genealogy

P.S. Some day I'll have typed a manuscript of our Moore
genealogy to date, as I've collected it, & present to Bay of Quinte Branch N.E.
K.A.



Re: Van Vsselsteyn Family:
Each Netherlands visit rewards
me with a bit more Genealogy
(and I've made 6 visits).

1962 I found parents
marriage of 1st Vsselsteyn
^{settler} of New Amsterdam. Marriage
date June 26th 1612.

I've many items ^{re: family name} I've found
in Netherlands, some as far
back as 10th Century.
In museum I've seen tapestry
from Vsselsteyn Castle & other
items from its building; very
ancient pieces.

It's thrilling to find ancient
records. K. A. item list.
(Barton Library has my item list).



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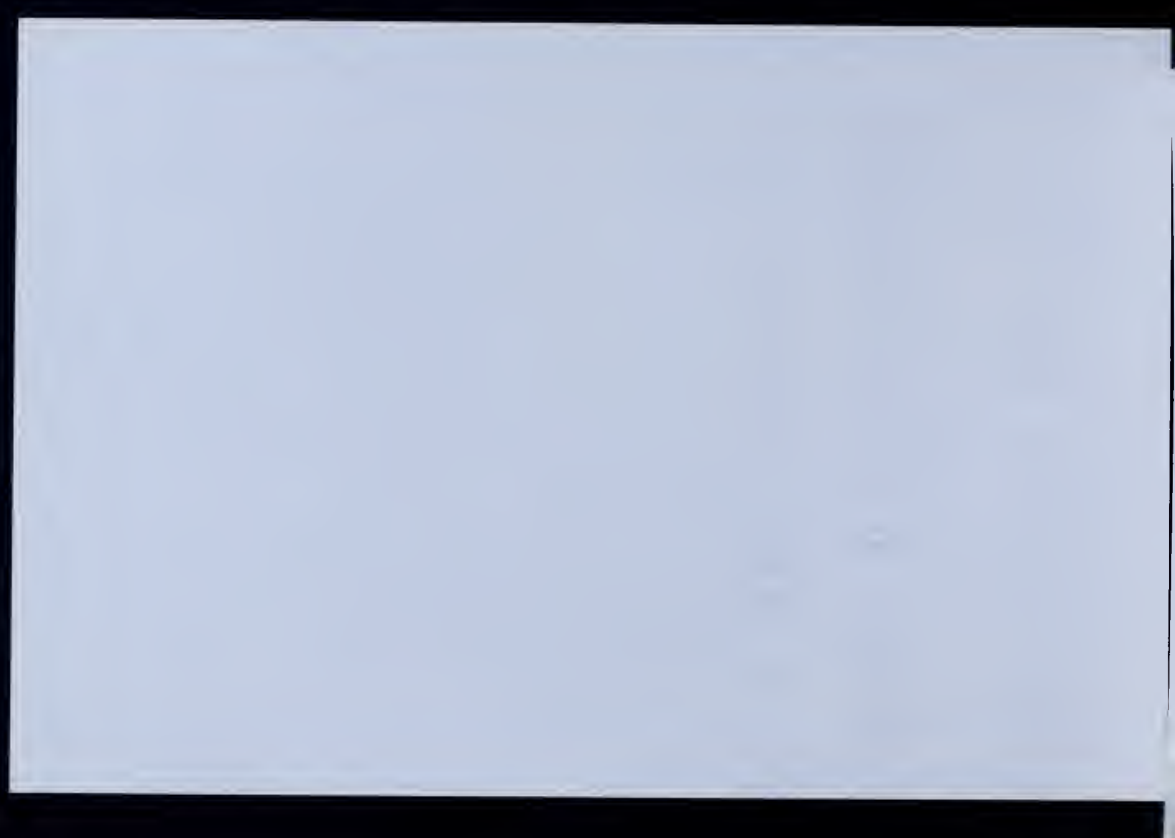
Miss Libbie Asselstine, graduate nurse, of Chicago.
is with her parents at Hawley.

16 Jan. 1903

Messrs. C. H. Asselstine & J. R. Roy, Pembina Co.,
North Dakota, are visiting friends & relatives in
Moscow.

27 Feb. 1903

Elgin Unger, of Brandon, Man., & Josephine A.
Asselstine, South Fredericksburgh, married 23 Feb.



b 23.7.1780
d 30.6.1858 or 69.11.7

10. Son Nicholas W C

John Asselsline² = 20.2.1812 Mary Amey (b.17.6.1789)

1. Margaret born 28.11.1812 d 17.10.1835-

3 ^{mat.} Saller = ~~Saller~~ b.17.6.1815 = Fletcher Empery

2 Billings =

of
Switzerland = Ruthenia (Lucy)
1827-90 Hoffman < given Mrs Edw. Noyes

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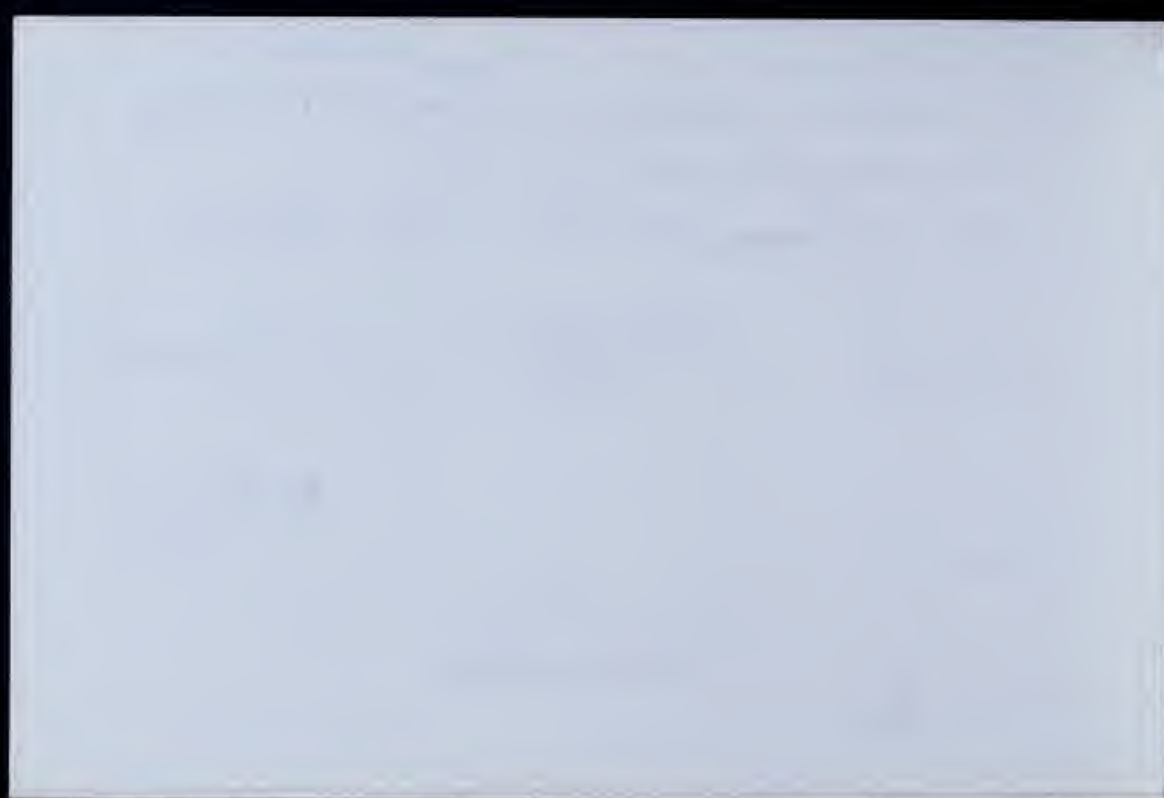
Elph 24

Nicholas 24

AMEY
file

Emily = Francis Empery

Eleanor Jane b 22.2.1834; d 9.3.1921



Hasen file.

12.1.1802
 Isaac 7. - Nancy Steung

(Michael?) 7.11.1819 (MCP)
 Isaac = Catherine
 Asselstun 22.10.1802
 1790 bp 14.11.1802
 3.11.1870 d 25.5.1885

19.5.1825
 David Lytsworth Nancy
 8.3.1808
 26.8.1882
 95
 Hannah = Benj = Mary.
 Slight Asselstun Gemma
 11.9.1827 22.7.1832

19.12.1798
 Daniel = 1st Sarah
 22.10.1772 | Swire
 d 10.12.1847

69 or 74

Michael = Jane
 (MCP) b. 6.9.1802 Asselstun
 d 19.4.1860 (Fellows)
 d. 6.4.1858
 or 86.3.19 (b 18.12.1801)

~~07.5.1801~~
~~1881.9.08~~



Sam Asselstine

Asselstine

His name should be Ellsworth

His mother was Fan Ellsworth, living at Picadilly

Charlie Ellsworth belonged to the same family ; no doubt a
half-brother

Asselstine the watch-maker, in Kingston, a brother of Nace ?

William Asselstine came from Ernesttown to Glendower

George Nace	Annie	Fred (?)	Amelia
	mother of		marr.
	Sperry		Wm. B. Grant
	Reynolds		He didn't marry her when
	a first wife		he should, but came
	of George		back in a year
	Reynolds		

Maud

Sam's father was a large man (married a woman near Perth)
His name is Bill.



Census of 1851, Portland Tp.

Asselstine, Andrew	laborer	b. Can.	W. Meth.	55
Asselstine, Benjamin				40
Sharloty				30
William				9
Lymus (Cyrus?)				8
Agnes				5
Charles				3
Anthony				1

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Directory of 1865

Asselstine, Benjamin	conc. 9	lot 19f
George	8	f
Isaac	8	20f
John	8	f
John	11	15f
William, J.P.	9	19
Aylsworth, Rufus	6	6h
Botting, Richard	8	5h

Atlas of 1878

Asselstine, Cyrus 185?	conc. 1	lot 8	so. 3 ¹ / ₄
		9	E ¹ / ₂
Isaac	8	20	E ¹ / ₂
Nicholas 188	9	19	S ¹ / ₂
Coleman 186	9	20	all
Ira	14	19	all

Bedford

Asselstine, William	conc. 3	lot 8	14 s ¹ / ₂	mill owner & mechanic, Glendower
" Jr.	3	8	n ¹ / ₂	b. Can. set. 1807

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William Asselstine

from Ernesttown to Glendower
children

George	Nace	Annie, mar. George	Fred?	Amelia, mar. Wm. B.
		Reynolds		Grant.
				He didn't marry
				her when arr-
				anged. Came
				back a year
				later.

Sam Asselstine's father was a large man (married a woman near Perth). His name was Bill.



Dr. H. Burley
Bath; Ont.

74 Ellis ave. W.
Windsor; Ont. Jan 8th/58

Dear Doctor Burleigh:- Yesterday in looking
thru some genealogical material on file, I came across
a letter of yours directed to me which I am of opinion
that it was laid aside in a rush to carry out a
European trip at the time it was received. I'll try to
answer some queries.

#1 John (Senior) Asseltine per Muster roll Oct. 1784 was
recorded as in Ernestown "wife & no children" Yes, his 1st
wife & sons were left in N.Y. State, when he enlisted. (I
believe he must have had a false rumour that she had
died; The rioting between Rebels & Loyalist there, was
terrific at period he enlisted; raiding & setting fire each
others houses etc.) anyhow I have a copy of his marriage
Certificate Montreal 1784 to Marie Langlois, and in
it he stated he "is a widower". Catharine his 1st wife
during the War period, placed her sons "bound out" to
learn a trade, and when Isaac ^{her 2nd} son was released,
she started for Canada via Loyalist route Oswego to
Kingston Ont., and went to her relatives in Adolphustown
who I believe was Loyalist Simon Cole. ^{Soon} After she
arrived in Canada they found John had
married and had young children. Family
tradition is they decided he should remain with
his young family and she continued life among
her relatives in Adolphustown. I believe these relatives
were the Coles (Dutch name Cool & Kool) a very old
Dutch family in N.Y. State; later in N.Y. written Cole.



I was always quite sure her maiden name was Cole (in ^{recorded} Dutch, Cool & Kool) A baptism I recently found in area of North Livingston Manor Dutch Reform Church baptisms Rhinebeck. "Catharina Cool Jan. 29th 1752 daughter of Simon Cool Jr. and wife Catharina Beernardt".

(The Cools like all Dutch, used family ^{1st} names over & over; each son had a son Simon & etc.) The ^{N.Y.} Dutch families intermarried into Dutch & often 1st Cousins married. The Cools are married in Esselsteijn families beginning as early as 1675.

II Isaac Asselstine & Elizabeth Kelder were the progenitors of Canadian ^(Loyalist) Asselstines and each son of these parents had a son Isaac & daughter Elizabeth.

Loyalist John (Senior) Asselstine's son Isaac married Barbara Fraley (Fraleigh & Fraleigh).

Loyalist Peter (Senior) Asselstine son Isaac married

? Hannah Daver; sister of his father's 2nd wife Christine Conrad Asselstine brother of John & Peter (Daver) had a son Isaac who settled in Canada having 1st come via way of North Vermont, ^{he} had 13 children; some remained in Canada, & other followed a trail thru ^{Canada} to Michigan, ^{settled} near Ann Arbor. This Isaac Asselstine tried to ^{himself} ~~class~~ ^{himself} Loyalist but his father Conrad was ~~an~~ early Vermont (North) settler about 1788. So we have some Asselstines in & near Roblin who are of Vermont 1788 origin. That Isaac was not ^{was a Loyalist} excepted.

? II Susannah (Ball) Asselstine. John Senior in his Will, ^{made} prior to 1822 mentions his wife ^(3rd wife) Susannah ^(over).

III
and all his children by name, except
Abraham, who had been assisted by his father
in York Co. Ontario. (A son of his, Jacob either
died ^{young} or remained in New York State).

Peter (son of John Senior) Assestine in his
Will dated Dec. 17th 1827 mentions his wife
as Barbara. (The descendants of this Peter say
Peter's wife was Barbara Carr daughter of Loyalist
Daniel Carr).

III Proof of Christine (Davey) Assestine
{ Public Archives Land Petitions 1797-1799
petition # A. 49 read Nov. 16/1797 for 200 acres; states
she is daughter of Peter Davey; Loyalist.

also
{ Q. Series Vol. 296 Page 212; Oct. 27/1801
Hannah Assestine daughter of Peter Davey
Loyalist - 200 acres.
(These girls, ^{Davey} married father & son (Isaac husband
of Hannah, was son of Peter Seniors, ^{and his} 1st wife Anna) Head.

Re: Martin family.

I was in error regarding Elias Martin as my mother's
grandfather it is Amos Martin. Mother was Marian
Lochhead dau. of Matthew & Rachel (Martin) Lochhead
Rachel Martin had a sister Barbara & one married ^{sister}
a Percy of Bellrock & her daughters Edith and Deborah
^{Percy} both married Allen men of Marlbank. Edith married
James Allen; Deborah William Allen; these ^{more} mother
often visited as her 1st cousins. (Rachel had ^{more} sisters
also brothers).

I believe there were Irish Frealicks from Georgia or Carolina to S.A. settled in Bay of Quinte area quite early.
Peter Asselstine, ^{senior} married Christine Davey sometime prior to his enlistment, as she is recorded ^{N.Y. State} there as a witness to a baptism Dec. 1st 1783, as Christina Esselsteyn (Clavarack N.Y. area; Dutch Reform Church).

I believe ~~over~~ ^{Martin} Fraley family were Loyalists. I've not spent much time on the Fraley (Frolig & Fraleigh Freelick) In New York records it does not have the Irish spelling of Fralick. Jacob, Christopher, John, Peter & Louis & 2 more sons were born to Martin Fraley & wife Anna (Hagadoran). Simcoe Papers Vol. V P. 230 states "Martin Freleigh Midland district granted 700 acres of land 1796." Do you know if this Martin Freleigh was a "messenger runner" for British in Amer. Rev. War. Jonathan Pearson's Book "Early Settlers of Albany Co. N.Y. in Baptisms Records" Christopher baptised April 12th 1764 son of Martin Freelick & Anna Hagadoran. (Children were often 2 or 3 yrs old before parents could get to a minister for a baptism, also often a couple lived together, one to several years, before they could contact a minister for a marriage ceremony. ~~the~~ Ministers were itinerant. I'm quite sure the Fraley Fralig etc. family were "Palatine Settlers of N.Y. State" and those settlers were religious refugees from Germany, & housed in N.Y. State by the Dutch families ^{N.Y. State} until they got started on "their own" ~~thus~~ they came to speak ^{the} Dutch language, and when they later push on to Pennsylvania State, as early settlers ^{there} they were known there as "Pennsylvania Dutch Settlers".

"So endeth this epistle"

Sincerely Yours, Kathryn Asselstine



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Deaths and Funerals

MRS. ROBERT ASSELSTINE WILTON — Funeral of Mrs.

Robert Asselstine was held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Orville Shea, Wilton, on Wednesday afternoon, to Cataraqui Cemetery. Mr. S. Seers, minister of Odessa-Wilton United churches, officiated.

Pall-bearers were grandsons, Jack, Robert and Donald Smith, Kenneth Hulse, Douglas Sager and Glenn Holmes.

Flower-bearers were Kenneth Martin, Harold Backcock, Fred McPherson, Clifford and Erwell Huff and Neil Forsyth.

Mrs. Asselstine, the former Anna May Metzler, who had always been active in church and women's institute work, was born near Odessa, 69 years ago, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Metzler of Odessa. She was a member of Wilton United Church. She had 16 grandchildren. *Mar 3 1952*

Surviving are her husband, one sister, Mrs. Kenneth McLennan (Bertie), in British Columbia, three daughters, Mrs. Harvey Smith (Helen) of Odessa, Mrs. Orville Shea (Jean) of Wilton and Mrs. Wilmot Snyder (Dorothy) of Harrowsmith, and one son, Bert Asselstine of Dryden, Ont. A brother, Wilbert Metzler, predeceased her a few years ago.

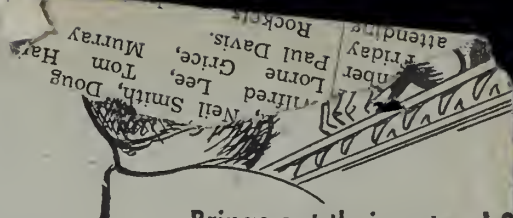
Among those attending the funeral were Bert Asselstine of Dryden, Dr. Albert Asselstine of Orillia, Mrs. Oliver Asselstine, Mr. Alfred Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Metzler and Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Shea, all of Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Connors of Perth and Mr. John Metzler of Montreal.

Napanee

NAPANEE — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sinclair have been visiting at Pompano Beach, Fla.
Rev. Harry A. Mellow of Oshawa, formerly of Napanee, was the

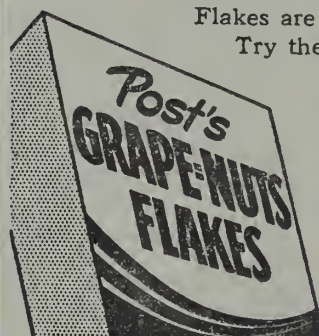
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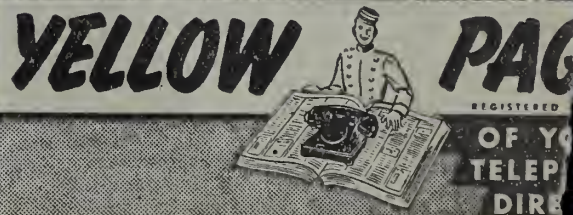
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J. W. Hough Diary, 1883-

- 1885, Sept. 1 Robert Asselstine died 1 P.M. (1864-1885)
3 " " funeral at Mowen White Church.
- 1889, June 14 (or 26) Wm Asselstine married
- 1890, Nov. 7 Will Asselstine & wife arrive on 10.10 train. They all leave for Detroit.
- 1892, Mar. 11 ¹⁷⁸ Sam Asselstine's barn & house burned.
June 15 ^{162?} Mr. Nicholas Asselstine buried at Mowen (age 84.10.6.)
- 1894 Dec 23 Flossie Asselstine (Sam's daughter) died 3 a.m.,
11 years old (+ 1 month) (Mowen)
- 1897, May 15 or 16 ——— Age 64 years (George Asselstine?)
May 19 Funeral of George Asselstine (1833-1897)
- 1898, Aug. 8 Threshing accident at Herb Asselstine's barn.
Young Baker got leg in cylinder.
- 1899 May 2 Wm Asselstine, with others, at burying ground about 6 P.M.
- 1901 Oct. 14 Robert Asselstine's sale.
- 1912, Mar. 6. Robert Asselstine's house burned; lost everything.
Apr. 29 Mr. Longmore commences work on Robt. Asselstine's house.
- 1913, Apr. 15. Wm J. Asselstine's funeral (Sillsville)
June 6 Charley Asselstine's barn struck by lightning.
Two barns burned.
- 1914 Apr. 28 At Robt. Asselstine's, Moscow.



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